THE WEATHER

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GERMAN SUBMARINE COMMANDERS WERE ORDERED NOT TO ATTACK MERCHANTMEN WITHOUT WARNING

Bernstorff Tells Lansing That Was What Tuesday's Statement Meant to Imply.

CRISIS PROBABLY PAST

Policy Had Been Adopted to Settle Submarine Problem Before Arabic was Sunk.

Germany to Send Communication Outlining Policy.

Washington, Aug. 26. — Two developments today in relations with Germany further reduced tension and were taken to foreshadow a declaration from Berlin on submarine warfare which would eliminate that source of discord.

Count Bernstorff, the German ambassador, called on Secretary Lansing and informed him that the statement presented Tuesday by direction of Berlin saying there was no intent to cause loss of American lives when the White Star liner Arabic was destroyed, was intended to imply that German submarine commanders had been ordered to attack no more merchantmen without warning.

Ambassador Gerard, reporting from Berlin the substance of a conference with Foreign Minister von Jagow, confirmed Associated Press dispatches that Germany, even before the sinking of the Arabic, had adopted a policy designed to settle completely the whole submarine problem. The State Department did not make public Ambassador Gerard's dispatch, but the optimism apparent at the State Department and the White House was taken as convincing proof that the situation once threatening a break in friendly relations was on the way to settlement.

The more hopeful officials thought the crisis past, and inferred that the views which Ambassador Bernstorff had been urging on Berlin ever since the sinking of the Lusitania had prevailed.

Awaits Germany's Declaration.

Secretary Lansing, while outwardly encouraged, was reserved, awaiting some definite declaration from Berlin; and the same attitude was reflected at the White House where it was indicated that President Wilson, encouraged at the prospect of averting a break, would keep his mind open until all details are cleared up.

One fact was outstanding in the whole situation. It was that a further communication is coming from Germany outlining a policy which, it is said, is expected to be satisfactory to the United States. It is understood that Germany will announce her submarine commanders will be instructed not to sink any merchantman without warning, pending a diplomatic discussion of a proposal for a modus vivendi for relaxations of the British blockade against neutral commerce.

From such information as had reached official sources here it was apparent that the sinking of the Arabic—assuming the ship was sunk by a submarine—was as much of a surprise in Germany as to the rest of the world—for, although it has not been officially stated, it is believed German submarine commanders after the sinking of the Lusitania received instructions to avoid such a disaster.

It was suggested today in diplomatic quarters that while Germany had avoided making public announcement of that fact she now was in a position to do so because of the victories of the German arms in Poland. The same sources pointed out that the victories of the German armies aided the leaders in Germany who had been contending for the views which Count Von Bernstorff had been urging on his foreign office.

The Berlin news dispatches referring to the German chancellor's declaration that Germany had adopted a policy designed to settle the question, was puzzling to American officials and even to those in German quarters. It was suggested it might foreshadow diplomatic negotiations to work out a modus vivendi.

DISCORD ELIMINATED.

Light in Which German Government Regards Sinking of Arabic.

Berlin, via London, Aug. 26.—The Associated Press is in a position to state on the best authority that the Arabic

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KITCHIN RESENTS CONTRABAND ORDER

Says Cotton Growers of Entire South Are Aroused.

AND DEMANDING ACTION

Says Great Britain's Action is Unwarranted and "Should Not Be Tolererated"—Clark, of Florida, of Same Opinion.

(Special Star Teelgram.)

Washington, Aug. 26.—Discussing the cotton situation, Representative Kitchin, majority leader of the House, said today: "The cotton producers of North Carolina and the entire South are aroused over the action of Great Britain in declaring cotton contraband and they want the administration to be as emphatic in dealing with England on this score as we have been in dealing with Germany on others.

"Great Britain's action is unwarranted, and should not be tolerated. I believe if the administration will speak decisively there will be a rescinding or modification of her order in council and the cotton contraband decree. Let us be firm with Great Britain as well as Germany; that is what the cotton producers desire.

"The entire South is agitated over the cotton question. Unless something is done there undoubtedly will be sentiment in Congress for retaliatory measures. This sentiment may back an embargo movement, although I am unable to discuss this possibility now. I regard it as certain, however, that if Great Britain believed the government would declare an embargo on war munitions and other products, Great Britain would come to terms quickly. England does not want any serious controversy with us. She cannot afford it, for if we were to place an embargo on arms it would be disastrous to England. The cotton producers believe that the administration can force England's hand if emphatic representations are made, and they should be made. We ought to take a positive stand and force the removal of obstacles in the way of marketing our cotton crop.

"Great Britain's course is working great harm to our industries and some persons regard the controversy with Great Britain as just as important as that with Germany."

Same From Florida.

Representative Frank Clark, who arrived here today, said:

"When I left Florida there was great concern and resentment over Great Britain's contraband decree. The action of Great Britain is regarded as high-handed and without justification. With another big cotton crop ready to be marketed, the South is in favor of the strongest protest against the arbitrary and indefensible contraband decree of Great Britain.

"I trust the administration will deal with the situation firmly, for the cotton producers expected relief. There is some discussion of the advisability of holding a convention of producers here to discuss market prospects, but the plans have not matured so far as I am advised." P. R. A.

CONGRESSMAN KITCHIN A "SMALL NAVY" MAN

Opposed to Spending Large Sums for Dreadnoughts

Favors Reasonable Appropriation for Submarines, Mines and Torpedo Boat Destroyers—Creates Stir in Washington.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., Aug. 26.—Representative Claude Kitchin, chairman of the Ways and Means committee and leader of the Democratic majority, declared here today that he is opposed to spending large sums of money for the construction of dreadnought battleships. He favors, he said, a reasonable appropriation for submarines, mines and torpedo boat destroyers.

The statement of Mr. Kitchin caused a stir around Washington, in the light of the statement alleged to have been made by Secretary of the Navy Daniels in Boston Tuesday, that he would ask Congress for millions for the Navy, and also because it is believed practically certain that President Wilson will recommend a considerably larger appropriation for the army and navy, in his message to Congress in December, than ever before asked for.

Mr. Kitchin is a "small navy" man; he has studied the European situation and he believes that the submarine and torpedo boat destroyers are worth far more than the larger type of sea craft. Therefore he will direct his energies to appropriations for the latter class and unless there is a remarkable change in sentiment no battleships will be built from the coming Congressional appropriation. P. R. A.

CONFERENCE OVER COTTON SITUATION

Harding Discusses Problem With Bankers' Delegates.

STATEMENT IS ISSUED

Special Consideration to Loans to Farmers on Cotton Security Regarded as Right and Proper —No Maximum Rate.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 26.—The delegates appointed at the recent Galveston conference of cotton states bankers conferred at length here today with W. P. G. Harding of the Federal Reserve Board, on the cotton situation. Afterward the delegates issued a statement concluding as follows:

"It is the sense of the delegation that it is right and proper for Southern bankers to accord special consideration to loans made to farmers based on insured, warehoused cotton and other staple products, and to offer on such loans the lowest interest rates consistent with sound business policy. It is not, however, deemed wise or necessary for any arbitrary maximum interest rate to be named, it being the sense of this delegation that better results to all concerned will be reached by entrusting this detail to the patriotism and sound business judgment of individual bankers throughout the South, local conditions being given due consideration."

The statement was signed by F. M. Law, chairman, Houston, Texas; Morehead Wright, secretary, Little Rock, Ark.; F. S. Etheridge, Jackson, Ga.; S. J. High, Tupelo, Miss.; F. W. Foote, Hatiesburg, Miss.; Oscar Wells, Birmingham; L. M. Pool, New Orleans; John W. Simpson, Spartanburg, S. C., and George W. Rogers, Little Rock, Ark.

After declaring the resolutions adopted at the Galveston conference "are heartily ratified and approved," the statement says:

"It is a matter of much gratification to the delegation to find that these resolutions are not only in accord with the views of Mr. Harding, a member of the Federal Reserve Board and recognized authority upon the production and marketing of cotton, but that they have met with such general approval throughout the country. The Federal Reserve Board and those entrusted with the management of the Federal Reserve banks are working in harmony with the principles contained in the plan for the gradual marketing of cotton ad we earnestly bespeak therefor their co-operation and encouragement."

ENLARGE AMERICAN HOSPITAL.

American Red Cross Colony at Petrograd Raises Subscriptions.

Petrograd, via London, Aug. 26.—Simultaneously with the receipt of news that the American Red Cross units would be withdrawn from Russia October 1st, the American colony here voted at a mass meeting to increase the capacity of the American hospital in this city from the 28 beds it contains at present to 40. Subscriptions were raised to cover the cost of enlarging the hospital.

CONFLICTING THEORIES ADVANCED FOR MURDER

Statement of Minister Kayser's Pro-German Activities.

Woman Says She Heard Him Talking of Plans to Frustrate Shipments of Arms to Allies—Police Think Woman Involved.

Gary, Ind., Aug. 26.—A maze of conflicting theories tonight confronted authorities trying to clear up the murder of Rev. Edmund A. J. Kayser, of Tolleston, a suburb of Gary, whose body, tightly bound with cord, was found Tuesday in a field near his home.

Belief that Kayser was slain for his pro-German activities was considered by some to be given strength by the statement of a Gary woman that she was in the pastor's home an hour before he was killed and overheard him talking in German to a prominent Gary attorney about plans to frustrate shipments of arms to the Allies.

Earlier in the day detectives said to be in the employ of the German Alliance, of which Kayser was president, declared they had found evidence of a conspiracy to murder him.

George Schneider, a member of the Gary Saxon Verein, was taken into custody today and questioned by Police Chief Heintz but soon was released. Schneider and Kayser were said to have been unfriendly.

The police still are working on the theory that a woman was involved in the killing.

ROOSEVELT BARRED FROM SPEAKING AT TRAINING CAMPS

Garrison Expresses Deprecation That Opportunity was Given at Plattsburg.

EFFECT IS DETRIMENTAL

Wires Gen. Wood That "Such Unfortunate Consequences" Must not be Repeated.

Washington, Aug. 26—Secretary Garrison today telegraphed Major General Leonard Wood expressing deprecation that opportunity was given at the citizen soldiery camp at Plattsburg for Colonel Roosevelt's sensational speech of yesterday and directing that nothing similar should be permitted at any of the other camps.

Secretary Garrison referred to Colonel Roosevelt's remarks on the country's military unpreparedness and the attitude of the administration. His telegram to General Wood follows:

"I have just seen the report in the newspapers of the speech made by ex-President Roosevelt at the Plattsburg camp. It is difficult to conceive of anything which could have a more detrimental effect upon the real value of this experiment than such an incident.

"This camp, held under government auspices, was successfully demonstrating many things of great moment. Its virtue consisted in the fact that it conveyed its own impressive lessons in its practical and successful operation and results.

"No opportunity should have been furnished to any one to present to the men any matter excepting that which was essential to the necessary training they were there to receive. Anything else could only have the effect of distracting attention from the real nature of the experiment, diverting consideration to issues which excite controversy, antagonism and ill-feeling, and thereby impairing, if not destroying, what otherwise would have been so effective.

"There must not be any opportunity given at Plattsburg or at any other similar camp for any such unfortunate consequences."

Secretary Garrison said he had no further action now under contemplation. He said he had not discussed the matter with President Wilson and had no knowledge of the President's views.

Secretary Garrison also made public a portion of a letter from General Wood explaining the General's own speech on August 14, which attracted some attention and which was called to the notice of the War Department. The general's explanation of his own remarks was satisfactory to the War Department.

The Secretary had just read the letter today on his return from his brief vacation at Seabright, N. J. The letter contained the following paragraph:

"You perhaps have seen something of the articles in the various papers. It is needless to state that there was no discussion by me nor has there been any by any officers here, of international affairs or anything that might come under the President's prohibition. The talks to the men have been on purely technical subjects explaining the use of armies, methods of raising them to sanitation, etc.

"My own talk was absolutely on technical lines, and had to do with the methods of raising and maintaining armies, voluntary systems, etc., and the usual strong endorsement of the militia into which I think a great many of these men will go."

ROOSEVELT MAKES STATEMENT.

Says He Alone Responsible for Speech, Wood Not to Blame.

New York, Aug. 26.—Colonel Roosevelt, when told today of Secretary Garrison's telegram to General Wood, said he was entirely responsible for his own remarks at Plattsburg and that he considered the Secretary had no right to criticise General Wood.

"I am, of course, solely responsible for that speech and until yesterday General Wood had no more idea than Secretary Garrison what I was going to say," said the former President in a statement. "In the speech not only did I never mention the President but I never mentioned the administration. I spoke purely of the Nation, of the people of the United States.

"General Wood issued orders that attendance at my speech was not required of any man, that it was optional to come or not; orders which at once established the fact that he had no responsibility for the speech. It was delivered outside the line of tents and one-half the audience was made up of men and women from the surrounding country."

WOOD MAKES NO COMMENT

Secretary Garrison's Telegram Much Discussed at Plattsburg Camp.

Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 26.—Major General Leonard Wood tonight declined to comment on the telegram he received from Secretary of War Garrison in connection with the address of Theodore Roosevelt delivered here last night:

"I have received instructions from the Secretary of War," he said, "to allow no addresses to be made in these camps except on subjects directly affecting the technical military training, and of course, these instructions will be rigidly complied wth."

The Garrson telegram caused much discussion about the camp tonight.

Dudley Field Malone, collector of the port of New York, issued a statement on the remarks of Mr. Roosevelt, re-

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BRITISH SHIP HELD BECAUSE OF RIFLE

Steamer Waimana Carries a Four-Inch Gun on Deck.

IS AT NEWPORT NEWS

Customs Officials There Are Awaiting Ruling From Treasury Officials Before Granting Clearance Papers.

Newport News, Va., Aug. 28.—Customs officials here today held up clearance papers to the British steamer Waimana, from Marseilles to Buenos Aires, after it was discovered the steamer carried a four-inch rifle mounted on her main deck aft.

Treasury officials at Washington were asked for a ruling as to whether the Waimana was amenable to the agreement between the United States and Great Britain forbidding clearance of armed British merchantmen from American ports.

The Waimana had put into Newport News for fuel coal. Captain Holmes, her skipper, explained that the gun had been mounted as a protection against submarines.

The Waimana is a ship of 10,000 gross tons and carries a crew of 75.

WILL DECIDE TODAY

British-American Agreement May Not Affect Sailing of the Waimana.

Washingotn, Aug. 26.—Whether the British steamer Waimana shall be allowed to clear from Newport News with a four-inch gun mounted on her after deck, will be decided tomorrow at a conference between officials of the Treasury and State Departments.

Under an informal agreement between the American and British governments entered into soon after the European war began, British vessels leaving ports of the United States are not permitted to carry mounted guns. This arrangement was made to prevent any question arising as to the peaceful character of merchantmen ,particularly passenger vessels, plying out of American ports. Officials are not sure, however, that it applies to such a case as that of the Waimana, which is bound from France to South America, and marely put in at Newport News for bunker coal.

International law does not make an armed vessel of a merchantman carrying guns for defensive purposes, and the fact that a gun is less than six inches in calibre and is mounted aft has held to be in evidence that it is not not carried for an offensive purpose. Consequently, but for the agreement between the two governments there would be no question about the status of the Waimana.

MAY SAIL TODAY.

Believed Captain of Steamer Waimana Will be Granted Clearance.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 26. — With a 4.7 inch gun mounted on her after deck, the British steamship Waimana, which arrived at Newport News today for

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DRIVING "ENEMY" FROM HARBOR OF NEW YORK

Fort Totten Engages in Practice of Actual Warfare.

The Twelve-Inch Mortars Fire 1,800 Pound Projectiles at Moving Target 13,000 Yards from Shore. Continued Last Night.

New York, Aug. 26.—The scream of shells and the roar of cannon rolled over the waters of Long Island sound today. The long mute 12-inch mortars of Fort Totten, which guards the northern entrance to New York harbor, found tongue and sent 1,800-pound projectiles climbing miles into the sky at a moving speck of a target 13,000 yards off shore.

Conditions of actual warfare were duplicated, so far as possible. In a little observatory on Sands Point, six miles away, an officer signalled the mortars by telephone computing by mathematical formula the range, the angle of fire and all the other intricate factors to be considered. The artillery men in the gun pit saw nothing of the target, but followed the commands of this officer, relayed to them by the battery commander a few feet away in the pit.

Instead of a hostile fleet upon whose decks the gunners would endeavor to drop the big projectiles in actual warfare, they fired at a triangular sail on a bobbing float at the end of a 500-yard hawser let out by a tug. Observers shading their eyes against the glare of the sun on the water saw it as a dot on the horizon. Its actual measurements were ten feet high by ten feet wide at the base.

With searchlights playing on the tiny float, the firing was repeated tonight. How many hits were scored will not be computed, it was said, for several days.

THE MAROWIJNE STILL MISSING.

Naval Collier Reports No Trace of the Steamer is Found.

Washington, Aug. 26.—The naval collier Jupiter reported from Vera Cruz today that she had found no trace of the missing United Fruit liner Marowijne during her cruise south through the Gulf of Mexico.

FRANCE NOT READY FOR PEACE TERMS

Question "Would be Blown to Nothing," Says Premier.

ADDRESS IN CHAMBER

"Not Until Heroic Belgium Has Been Freed; Not Until We Have Retaken Alsace and Lorraine," He Says.

Paris, Aug. 26.—"Put the question of peace before the country and it would be blown to nothing," said Premier Viviani today in an address in the chamber of deputies. "Not until heroic Belgium has been freed, not until we have re-taken Alsace and Lorraine, could there be mischievous divisions among us.

"Our enemies may continue astray in their dull error of last year, but not we, who have seen workmen and employer, the rich citizen and the poor, men of every party and every walk of life, fulfilling with a single purpose and with equal zeal their duties in defense of the liberty of the world.

"We must destroy the legend that the republic of France, having borne for 45 years a horrible wound, did not make provision for military defense. I must repeat the words of the commander-in-chief during the last session of the chamber: 'The republic may be proud of her armies.'

"France has created an army fulfilling the most modern conceptions. She has instilled the love of justice, the love of right, and upon the day the war began, the children of France united in support of this high idea, without which there would have been only armies of mercenaries."

The deputies cheered the premier wildly. When the demonstration had died down, Deputy Louis Accambray, who recently has several times criticised the government's conduct of the war, took the floor and began, amidst disorder, a criticism of Minister of War Millerand. The deputy spoke for an hour, but little of what he said could be heard because of the confusion.

Afterward several deputies spoke in approval of the premier's address and the chamber voted the credits asked by the government by 539 to 1.

A proposition of the socialists for secret sessions of the chamber of deputies was received and ordered printed and the chamber adjourned till September 16th.

GARRISON TO SUBMIT PLANS

Report on National Defense Probably to Be Filed Early Next Week.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Secretary Garrison's report in connection with the administrations' plans for strengthening the national defense probably will be submitted to President Wilson early next week. The secretary is waiting only for some data being prepared at the war college.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT PART OF DISCUSSION

Governors Review Parade of Massachusetts Militia.

Part of Fourth Day's Session of State Executives Given Over to Treatment of Prisoners—Response to Blease's Speech.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 26.—A demonstration of the preparedness for active service of the Massachusetts National Guard was given before the visiting governors and a great throng of the entire state militia. Yesterday the governors saw the maneuvers of part of the Nation's naval arm. At tomorrow's session of their conference here they will consider the general topic of "Preparedness for Defense."

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and Lieut. General Nelson A. Miles, retired, were with Governor Walsh and visiting governors and former governors on the reviewing stand today while the militiamen marched past.

Before the parade, the governors held their fourth session for presentation and discussion of papers, the day being devoted to the treatment of prisoners and capital punishment.

Response to Blease's Speech.

A statement by former Governor Cole L. Blease, of South Carolina, that "when mobs are no longer possible, liberty will be dead" called forth a brief response from Governor Goldsborough, of Maryland, who said:

"Such a statement is un-Christly. If capital punishment is wrong, how much more so is capital punishment at the hands of a mob?"

Governor Richard I. Manning, of South Carolina, said that when a lynching took place in his state now the county had to pay $2,000 to the family of the victim.

Papers advocating abolition of the death penalty were read by Governor W. G. P. Hunt, of Arizona, and Governor Edward F. Dunne, of Illinois.

Others who favored abolition of the death penalty were former Governors Haines, of Maine, and Adams, of Colorado.

An automobile trip through the Metropolitan Park system and a river carnival at Waltham furnished th evening entertainment for the visitors.

BREST-LITOVSK IS CAPTURED BY THE TEUTONIC FORCES

Germans Now Control Whole Line of Railroad From Chelm to Bialystok.

RUSSIANS ARE RETIRING

Air Craft of the Allies Have Broken Monotony of the Warfare of the West.

London, Aug. 26.—Brest-Litovsk, the main Russian fortress and concentration center of the Bug river line of defenses, was occupied by the Austro-Germans today. While the Russians offered stout resistence during the invaders' approach, it is apparent no attempt was made to defend Brest-Litovsk itself. It was evacuated as was Osowetz, in conformity with the Russian intention to take up new positions farther east.

The Germans now are in possession of the whole line of railway from Chelm to Bialystok. The Russians having already evacuated the latter city, the lesser fortresses of Grodno and Olita now are the only strongly defended positions remaining in the hands of the Russians. Both these are being approached by the Germans. They probably will be given up when they have fulfilled their propose of facilitating the Russian retreat.

The Russians have not yet entered the vast Bielovieah forest, which extends thirty miles north and south and has a width of from 17 to 30 miles. The forest is a famous hunting center and bison preserve. South of it are the Pripet marshes, which protect the Russian left, and, with plenty of roads and three or four railroad lines, it is expected here that Grang Duke Nicholas will make good his retirement if Grodno and Vilna can hold out long enough. Even if they should fall, military observers say the Grand Duke would be well on his way to his new positions, before the Germans could reach flank.

There is again talk of Russian preparations for a stand, but no indication as yet as to where this attempt is to be made.

Air Craft Becomes Active.

Air craft again have broken the monotony of the western warfare. Sixty-two French aeroplanes flew over the Dellingen Iron Works near Saarlouis, Rheinish Prussia, dropping 150 bombs, while a British aviator is reported to have dropped a bomb upon and destroyed a German submarine off Ostend. The German report says four of the French machines in the attack near Saarkouis were brought down, one of them, however, falling behind the French lines.

The admiralty report of sinking the German submarine significantly stated that it has not been the practice of the admiralty to publish accounts regarding the losses of German submarines," important though they have been," in cases where the Germans had no other source of information as to the time and place at which these losses occurred. It has been reported for months that a large number of German submarines, variously stated at from 20 to 40 have been caught by the British navy, but today's statement is the only official admission that there were others than those previously announced by the admiralty as having been destroyed.

The Italians claim further minor successes on all their fronts, but these are consistently denied by Austria. Of the operations on Galipoli peninsula, there is no further news.

Except for the postponement of the statement of the Greek Premier M. Venizelos on the future policy of Greece, there is nothing new in the Balkan situation.

RUSSIAN FORCES DIVIDED.

Austrians Report Two Groups Are Unable to Co-operate.

Austrian Headquarters, via London, Aug. 26.—Austrian cavalry pushing eastward from Kovel has divided the Russian forces into two groups which now are unable to co-operate with each other, according to a dispatch from the commanders at the front.

The Austrian armies operating north of the Bug have gained ground toward the railway connecting Brest-Litovsk and Minsk. They now hold positions about three miles west of the river Lesna.

The wedge thrust into the Russian front by the Austrian cavalry occupying Kovel has been carried farther eastward and widened.

GERMAN SUBMARINE SUNK

British Admiralty Announces Attack by Aeroplanes Successful.

London, Aug. 26.—A German submarine has been destroyed near Ostend by a bomb dropped by an aeroplane, says an official announcement this evening.

The announcement follows:

"The Secretary of the Admiralty anounces that Squadron Commander Arthur W. Bigsworth, R. N., destroyed single handed a German submarine this morning by bombs dropped from an aeroplane. The submarine was observed to be completely wracked and sank off Ostend.

"It is not the practice of the admiralty to publish statements regarding the losses of German submarines important though they have been in cases where the enemy has no other source of information as to the time and place at which these losses have occurred.

"In the case referred to above, however, the brilliant fete of Squadron Commander, Bigsworth, was performed

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Baseball
Boating
Yachting
Angling

SPORTS

Motoring
Aeronautics
Tennis
Golf, Etc.

TIGERS WIN 12-INNING CONTEST FROM BOSTON

Yankees Win From Cleveland by Narrow Margin

Senators Win From the White Sox in Thirteenth Inning—St. Louis Takes 10 to 1 Victory From Athletics.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Chicago 1; Washington 2.
At St. Louis 10; Philadelphia 1.
At Detroit 7; Boston 6.
At Cleveland 5; New York 6.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Washington at St. Louis.
New York at Detroit.
Boston at Cleveland.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	76	38	.667
Detroit	75	43	.641
Chicago	72	45	.615
Washington	59	55	.518
New York	53	57	.482
St. Louis	45	72	.385
Cleveland	44	71	.383
Philadelphia	35	79	.307

Chicago, Aug. 26.—A new world's record for innings played in three consecutive games was established here today when Chicago and Washington battled 13 innings, the latter winning, 2 to 1. Washington won the game through the poor work of Blackburne and Leibold's poor throw to the plate. After one was out in the thirteenth Williams doubled. McBride hit to Blackburne who could have tagged Williams running to third but held the ball too long, and McBride beat his throw at first. It remained to Leibold to finish the play. Johnson, who had replaced Boehling in the twelfth when the latter weakened, sent a long foul toward the left field. Leibold made a long run and caught the ball but his throw to the plate was about ten feet wide and Williams scored the winning run.

Washington— 000 000 000 001 1—2 7 2
Chicago— 000 000 000 001 0—1 7 3
Boehling, Johnson and Williams; Russell and Daly.

Detroit, Aug. 26.—Detroit won from Boston today in the twelfth inning, 7 to 6. Muffs by Burns and Cobb in the ninth gave the visitors four runs. Leonard passed Kavanaugh in the Detroit half; two infield outs put the pinch hitter on third and Crawford's single tied the score. Cobb opened the twelfth with a single to left, took second on Crawford's sacrifice and walked when Veach hit to the left field wall.
Boston . . .000 001 104 000—6 10 1
Detroit . . . .000 400 101 001—7 12 3
Foster, Leonard and Thomas, Carrigan; Dauss, Covaleskie and Stanage.

Cleevland, Aug. 26.—After Cleveland tied the score today in the eighth, New York won in the ninth, 6 to 5, scoring the winning run on Cook's single and steal, O'Neill's wild throw and Maisel's single. Hagerman's lack of control in the first and ineffectiveness in the seventh let New York get its lead.
Cleveland . . . . . .101 000 030—5 7 1
New York . . . . .300 000 201—6 10 0
Hagerman, Harstad and O'Neal; Pich and Kreuger.

St. Louis, Aug. 26.—St. Louis pounded Bressler for 13 hits in five innings today while Koob was invincible and the locals were victorious 10 to 1, making a clean sweep of the series with Philadelphia.
Philadelphia . . .000 001 000— 1 3 3
St. Louis . . . . .021 070 00*—10 14 1
Bressler, Pillion and McAvoy; Koob and Severeid.

LUMBERTON SHUTS OUT RED SPRINGS IN FIRST OF SERIES

Lumberton, N. C., Aug. 26.—Lumberton defeated Red Springs here today in the first of a three-game series by the score of 3 to 0. Poole pitched a fine game, fanning 13, giving four bases on balls, and only giving up four hits. Lumberton scored the three runs in the fifth on a home run by Bruce, Rowe, erroring Pope's grounder, a hit by Krebs and an infield out by Emery.

The features of the game were the pitching of Poole and Glazner and the fielding of Emery on second.
Red Springs . . .000 000 000—0 4 3
Lumberton . . . .000 030 00*—3 5 1
Glaznuer and Koehler; Poole and Krebs.

Summary: Home, run, Bruce. Two-base hits, Emery and R. Howe. Double plays, Strain to Emery. Stolen bases, Utley. Base on balls, Glaznor 2, Poole 4. Fanned out, by Glaznor 11, by Poole 13. Time, 2:00. Umpire, Brake. Attendance 400.

GREAT INTEREST IN GAME AT SUFFOLK, VA., SATURDAY

Rocky Mount, N. C., Aug. 26.—With the baseball club fighting every point for an advantage and a resting place at the top of the percentage column when the gong sounds for the season end on Labor Day, local baseball enthusiasts, several hundred strong, are going to journey to Suffolk for the double-header on Saturday. A special train has been secured for this occasion which will leave Rocky Mount at 10:30 Saturday morning and will get back home about the same hour Saturday night. The train will carry several hundred people, so it is thought, if the weather be auspicious, and lively representation from this city is promised for the city in the dismal swamp at the double play bill on Saturday.

There is great interest here in the fight that the Tar Heels are making for the pinnacle position in the second half, and with Suffolk holding that which is coveted, and the Tar Heels in the runner up position, it appears as though the seven games to be played between these two clubs will in a large measure determine the success for the wind-up.

Montreal, Aug. 26.—A heavy track led to the postponement of grand circuit races at Dorval again today. The final heat between William and Directum for the $5,000 purse will be run tomorrow.

NEWARK FEDERALS TOO STRONG FOR BUFFALOS

Pittsburgh Game is Won by Kansas City

Brooklyn Finally Wins in Twelve-Inning Battle With Baltimore—St. Louis Doubles the Score on Chicago.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.
At Chicago 6; St. Louis 1.
At Pittsburg 5; Kansas City 6.
At Baltimore 9; Brooklyn 11.
At Newark 4; Buffalo 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Kansas City at St. Louis.
Chicago at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at Buffalo.
No others scheduled.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Pittsburg	65	51	.560
Newark	64	51	.557
Kansas City	65	54	.546
Chicago	65	55	.542
St. Louis	62	56	.525
Buffalo	58	66	.468
Brooklyn	57	65	.467
Baltimore	40	78	.339

Baltimore, Aug. 26.—Brooklyn and Baltimore fought a 12-inning battle today, Brooklyn finally putting across three runs and winning by 11 to 9.

Knabe used 15 players in an effort to put over a win. This gave Brooklyn four out of five for the first series under Ganzel.
Brooklyn . . . .220 201 000 003—11 17 3
Baltimore . . . .002 000 033 001— 9 15 2
Walker, Upham, Wiltse, F. Smith and H. Smith; Bender, Quinn, Bailey and Owens.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—St. Louis won from Chicago today 10 to 5. Bases on balls were responsible for four of the visitors' runs, two were counted from errors, and another run resulted when Horton was hit by Black.
St. Louis . . . . . .104 002 300—10 9 0
Chicago . . . . . .001 102 010— 5 15 3
Willett and Hartley; Brown, Black and Fischer.

Newark, Aug. 26.—Newark defeated Buffalo today 4 to 1. Moseley had Buffalo baffled all the way. He also contributed a three-bagger.
Buffalo . . . . . .000 100 000—1 5 5
Newark . . . . . .001 010 02*—4 12 0
Bedient, LaFitte and Allen; Moseley and Rariden.

Pittsburg, Aug. 26.—Kansas City defeated Pittsburg 6 to 5 today. Both teams hit hard.
Kansas City . . . . .000 034 000—6 13 2
Pittsburg . . . . . .200 010 011—5 13 0
Main and Easterly; Comstock, Hearne Dickson and O'Connor.

MINOR LEAGUES

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.
At Atlanta 0; Nashville 3.
At New Orleans 4; Chattanooga 1.
At Mobile 5; Little Rock 2.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.
At Richmond 1; Buffalo 3.
No others scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
At Kansas City 6; Cleveland 7.
2nd: Kansis City 5; Cleveland 0.
At Milwaukee 4; Columbus 1.
At Minneapolis 1; Louisville 3.
At St. Paul 4; Indianapolis 8.
2nd: St. Paul 10; Indianapolis 2.

CAROLINA LEAGUE.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Greensboro 5, Charlotte 0.
At Asheville 9, Winston-Salem 4.
At Durham 0, Raleigh 3.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Asheville	28	15	.651
Charlotte	22	22	.500
Raleigh	23	22	.511
Durham	21	24	.467
Winston-Salem	19	24	.442
Greensboro	18	24	.429

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Norfolk 5; Petersburg 4.
At Portsmouth 4; Newport News 3.
At Suffolk 2; Rocky Mount 8.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Rocky Mount	31	21	.596
Suffolk	30	22	.577
Portsmouth	29	23	.558
Norfolk	28	25	.528
Newport News	26	28	.481
Orphans	15	40	.273

CONTESTANTS PRACTICING FOR NATIONAL AMATEUR TOURNAMEN

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 26.—Several rounds of match play provided splendid practice today for contestants in the National Amateur Tournament which begins here next Saturday.

The most interesting match was between Francis Ouimet and Charles Evans, Jr. They played 19 holes before Ouimet won. Ouimet and D. Warren Corkran were defeated 1 up in 18 holes by Evans and Howard B. Lea. New Sawyer and J. K. Bole won from Jerome Travers and Hamilton Kerr, one up.

Southampton, N. Y., Aug. 26.—William Hall, William Washburn and T. R. Pell, of New York, and W. M. Johnston, of San Francisco, won places today in the semi-final round of the cup singles at the tennis tournament on the turf of the Meadow Club. Ward Dawson and H. A. Throckmorton won a place in the doubles semi-finals, as did Clarence J. Griffin, of San Francisco, and William M. Johnston.

Wrestling of Some class tonight at Woolvin Hall.
(Advertisemnt.)

PHILLIES VICTORIOUS OVER CINCINNATI REDS

E. L. Kantlehner Out-Pitches Stroud and Pirates Win

Chicago and Boston Battle for Nine Innings, Neither Winning—Douglas Pitched Winning Ball for the Brooklyns.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Brooklyn 3; St. Louis 1.
At Boston 4; Chicago 4; (darkness.)
At New York 1; Pittsburg 2.
At Phialdelphia 4; Cincinnati 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Boston.
Pittsburg at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	63	50	.558
Brooklyn	63	55	.534
Boston	59	54	.522
Chicago	57	57	.500
Pittsburg	58	61	.488
St. Louis	56	62	.475
New York	52	60	.464
Cincinnati	53	62	.461

Boston, Aug. 26. — Chicago and Boston had scored four runs each when darkness stopped the game, after nine innings today. The Braves' early lead of four runs looked good with the recruit pitcher Nehf working well. But Chicago earned two runs in the sixth, and poor fielding by Maranville and Smith put them in position to tie the score in the seventh.
Chicago . . . . . .000 002 200—4 6 1
Boston . . . . . .100 210 000—4 7 3
Adams, Zabel, Lavender and Archer; Nehf, Hughes and Whaling.

Philadelphia, Aug. 26. — Mayer was in fine form, and was given excellent support today, and Philadelphia defeated Cincinnati—4 to 1. The home team got two runs in the first, on Stock's double, a sacrifice, two errors, an out and a wild pitch. Dale and Mayer then had a battle until the eighth, when the latter's single sent in two runners.
Cincinnati . . . . .010 000 000—1 5 2
Philadelphia . . . . .200 000 02x—4 7 0
Dale and Wingo; Mayer and B. Killifer.

New York, Aug. 26. — Kantlehner defeated Stroud in a pitchers' battle here today, and Pittsburgh won the third game of its series from New York—3 to 1. The pitchers bunched five of their nine hits in the second and third innings, when they did all their scoring.
Pittsburgh . . . . .011 000 000—2 9 2
New York . . . . .000 100 000—1 7 0
Kantlehner and Gibson; Stroud, Schauer and Meyers.

Brooklyn, Aug. 26. — Douglas pitched winning ball for Brooklyn today, and his hitting was a big factor in beating St. Louis—3 to 1. Douglas made three hits in as many times at bat, two of them driving in runs.
St. Louis . . . . .100 000 000—1 7 0
Brooklyn . . . . .100 010 10x—3 8 1
Ames, Meadowa and Snyder; Douglas and O'Miller.

COLLINS VS. HANSON ON LOCAL MAT TONIGHT

Fast Wrestler From Washington, D. C., Has Long List of Victories.

The mat fans are anticipating a fast match tonight at Woolvin Hall, when Fritz Hanson, who has made himself their idol during the past few months, will meet Jack Collins, an unknown but fast wrestler from Washington, D. C.

Hanson arrives this morning from Ocean View, Va., where he has been enjoying the cool breezes and recuperating himself for the fray. Hanson has already a long list of straight victories, and will labor hard to keep from mixing any defeats in it.

Collins also has a long list of victories, he says, and will try to add Hanson to the list of the fellows he has downed this summer. He has not made as big bluffs as some of the other fellows, only saying he thinks he can give a good account of himself. Few of Collins' dimensions have been made public yet, but his picture shows him to be of a muscular build.

CHECKER TOURNAMENT COMES TO CLOSE AT CHICK SPRINGS

Greenville, S. C., Aug. 26.—The eighth annual tournament of the Southern Checker Association came to a close at Chick Springs tonight. F. B. Fishburne, of Columbia, S .C., won first place; S. S. Hallman, of Spartanburg, S. C., second, and W. L. Feaester, of Lancaster, S.C., came third. The tournament will be an annual affair at Chick Springs in the future.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 26. — The management of the Norfolk Virginia League team today announced the sale of Frank Thrasher to the New York Giants for $2,500, and Flynn to the New York Yankees for $1,500. Both men are outfielders.

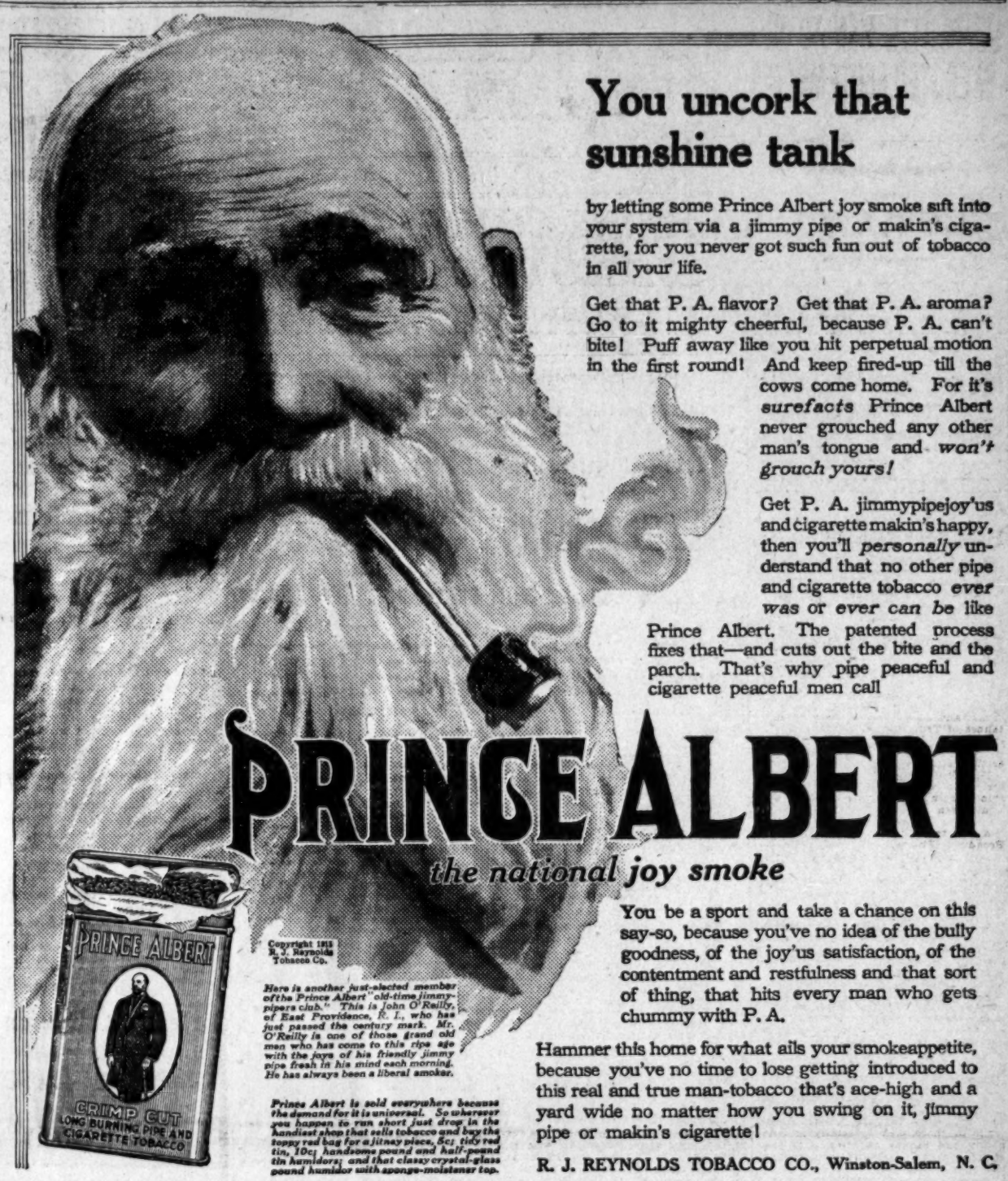
COOPER HILL PRONOUNCED INSANE

Wife Slayer Committed to Insane Department of State's Prison.
(Special Star Telegram.)

Kinston, N. C., Aug. 26.—A jury in superior court here today found Cooper Hill, of Deep Run, who several weeks ago beat his wife to death with a club, insane. Four experts testified that he is demented. Hill will be sent to the State's prison and committed to the department for dangerous insane. If his reason returns he will be tried.

It is not expected that Hill will ever regain sanity and his commitment to the penitentiary means virtually life imprisonment. One expert declared his dementia to be of the permanent order. The slayer thinks his victim is still alive.

You'll regret it if you miss the wrestling match at Woolvin Hall tonight, 8:30 sharp.
(Advertisement)



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THEATRICAL

By all means don't miss the sixth installment of the beautiful "Goddess" at the Grand today, featuring Anita Stewart and Earle Williams, two brilliant stars who are at their best in this wonderful serial, every episode gets better and more interesting, ask your friends how well pleased they are after seeing the Goddess. It's so different from anything you have ever seen. See it today, don't put it off. The big surprise stunts are coming off in the sixth installment showing today. Keep your eye on the Grand for everyday is surprise day and big feature, too. See this one and convince yourself that you enemies who for months have beset her, she becomes Elaine the Victorious.

All the thousands who have breathlessly followed her in her vicissitudes, impatiently await "The Romance of Elaine," which marks the happy conclusion of her escapades and her exploits. Her trials and tribulations are drawing to a close. Through her love she suffered and now through her love she will conquer. Does she marry? Does society claim her? Do art and literature make her life, or do home and children? Does Craig Kennedy return to life to claim her? Or does Jameson win her for himself? Who is the "Mysterious Mr. X." who makes his appearance in this chapter?

Striking Scene From "A Cigarette—That's All," Produced by the Famous Smalleys, Bijou Today.

have never seen such a feature for the small admission of 5 cents, the Grand management is doing everything to improve the shows, and so far they have succeeded in offering the best show in town, seeing is believing.

"Destiny's Skein," it's a three reel Lubin masterpiece featuring Earl Metcalfe, Ormi Hawley, Hazel Huzzard and Kempton Green, in a strong sensational drama. Carl Fortiers' father stubbornly forbids him to follow his ambition to study medicine, but insists that Earle join him in his lumber business. A quarrel follows and Earle disowned, goes his own way under another name, Earle Calmet. George W. Terwilliger's work as writer and producer of this three-reel drama has resulted in a photoplay of considerable merit and has been put together with great skill.

The Romance of Elaine.

Now comes the final triumph of Elaine. The Romance of Elaine begins at the Bijou today, as the terminating chapters of the thrilling "Exploits," which have been entertaining thousands for the past 24 weeks. It takes a great serial to hold the interest for this length of time, but Elaine has done it. And now, after her desperate dangers, her narrow escapes from the highly intelligent and malevolent

All these questions are answered—everything is told—of how she gains peace and happiness, in the final chapters of Elaine.

Phillips Smalley presents his first great masterpiece since returning to Universal today, "A Cigarette—That's All", a two-reel drama that has been classed by its critics among the ten best two-reelers of the year. It is a drama of unique plot and interest-compelling qualities that will certainly please everyone.

Lee Moran makes his appearance as the only female impersonator in the pictures in "Little Egypt Malone," a great Nestor, and the Animated Weekly for this week contains some of the best views seen in many weeks. All for your jitney at Wilmington's favorite theatre today.

Suspend Work on Beach Road.

Pending the arrival of additional hauling equipment which it is thought will greatly facilitate the work, the active construction of the Carolina Beach road has been suspended for about three weeks. The road will be completed about mid-winter.

Wrestling tonight, Woolvin Hall, Hansen vs. Collins.
(Advertisement.)

POUND STERLING FALLS TO A NEW LOW RECORD

Value in American Money is Lower Than Ever Before.

German Money Alone Withstood Downward Torrent in Foreign Exchange. Bankers Regard Big Foreign Credit the Need.

New York, Aug. 26. — The English pound sterling was worth less in American money today than at any other time since its coinage was begun in 1817. In a thoroughly demoralized foreign exchange market, its value dropped to $4.63¾, nearly 23¼ cents below normal. When the day's business ended there was every indication that it would go lower still tomorrow. The previous low record had been $4.64, reached last week.

German money alone stemmed the torrent of downward rates, reichsmarks rising to 81⅞, the highest since exchange values started down, more than two weeks ago. Francs lost 10½ cents, lires 5½ cents. When the market closed an American dollar was worth 5.98½ francs, or 6.47½ lires.

From the opening the values of foreign moneys, reichsmarks alone excepted, began to gravitate and their course was not once checked. This was said to be due to increased pressure of war supply bills against foreign buyers of American goods, presented for payment here.

Although the situation was regarded as acute at the day's close, New York bankers were not fearful. What is needed here, they said, is a big foreign credit, which they expect to be established as soon as a deputation of British financiers arrive to work out a relief plan.

The strength of German money today was attributed largely to the easing of tension in diplomatic relations between that country and the United States. It even was reported Germany might seek to borrow money here, later on.

FIRST BALE OF COTTON.

Sold on the Fayetteville Market Yesterday for Nine Cents.

Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 26.—The first bale of this year's cotton on the Fayetteville market was bought here today by G. W. Kistler, says The Observer. It graded good middling and brought 9 cents. It was raised and marketed by Dave Fuller, colored, of Flea Hill township. Fuller has been the first person for a number of years to sell a bale of new cotton on this market.

Wrestling tonight, Woolvin Hall, Hansen vs. Collins.
(Advertisement.)

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CHARLOTTE MAN TO BE EXECUTED SEPTEMBER 3

Craig Declines to Interfere With Death Sentence of Trull

Is Convinced That He is Sane and Responsible for His Crime—Charters Issued—Young After Insurance Agents.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 26.—Having determined that he will not interfere with the death sentence of Charles Trull for the murder of Sidney Erwin, aged merchant of Charlotte, Governor Craig stated this morning that investigation of the case has forced him to the conviction that the prisoner is guilty of first degree murder and that he is sane and thoroughly responsible for his acts. He could find nothing to warrant any interference with the decree of the court for his electrocution September 3rd.

The Governor was largely influenced by the report of the special committee, consisting of the superintendents of the three State hospitals for the insane, on their examination of the prisoner on his mental status and moral responsibility. The report will be of interest in this connection. It says:

"We saw and examined Trull August 9 and found no evidences of insanity other than a decided lack of moral tone and the presence of pronounced moral perversion. At the request of the attorneys for Trull, Cameron Morrison and Jake Newell, we met at Charlotte August 17 for further investigation and examined Trull's mother and stepfather and other relatives and acquaintances of Trull from Columbia, his former home. However, nothing developed showing further mental defect other than stated above."

Mrs. Trull and her brother and sister, who accompanied her here, left this morning for Columbia where Mrs. Trull lives.

Charters Issued.

A charter was issued today for the Broadway Photoplay Co., of Charlotte, capital $125,000 authorized and $20,000 subscribed by R. D., G. J. and B. J. Craver, for constructing and operating movies and making and selling moving picture films.

Another charter is for the Farmers' Warehouse & Oil Mills, Inc., capital $100,000 authorized and $20,000 subscribed by H. A. Smith and others for general warehouse and oil milling business at Mooresville.

After Insurance Agents.

Commissioner of Insurance James R. Young is after agents of the Shenandoah Insurance Co., of Roanoke, Va., for doing business in this State without license and is incidentally threatening to make trouble for a number of citizens of this State who have been lending their influence to the efforts of the agents when it was their duty to first ascertain if the agents and the company were licensed in this State. The Insurance Department has found trails of these men especially in Alleghany and Stokes counties, a number of considerable contracts for insurance having been located. It develops that a number of very prominent citizens have been lending their influence to the agents. The commissioner is demanding that all parties from whom business has been obtained be refunded their money, else he will proceed to prosecute for violation of the State law, the prosecution to extend to the citizens aiding as well as to the actual soliciting agents.

Indications are that the North Carolina authorities will send to Richmond for E. H. Pass, who is being held there, having been arrested as insane when he insisted that he is a grandson of Napoleon Bonaparte, and demanded that he be given passage to Europe on a cattle ship. Pass sawed his way out of the State hospital here recently and succeeded in getting out of the State. He is a Knight Templar in the Masonic order, and Richmond Masons are understood to be moving for the release of Pass on the ground that he seems to be in full possession of his faculties.

CRAVEN TO SPEND $100,000 BUILDING 20 MILES OF ROAD?

Board of Commissioners Take Action That All Do Not Approve.

Newbern, N. C., Aug. 26.—The action taken by the Craven county board of commissioners at a special meeting held Tuesday at which it was decided to build more than 20 miles of road in this county at a cost of more than $100,000 has caused many of the citizens to sit up and take notice and to make some inquiries. The material which the commissioners now have in view for this road building contists of Cape Fear gravel, which will be covered with a coating of Tarvia.

A road has recently been constructed of this material near the city, and it is far from being what it should be. A number of persons have been asked to give an opinion on the action taken by the board, which was not unanimous, and they have declared that there should be an investigation made of the materials that are contemplated being used and if these do not prove to be satisfactory, some other material should be employed.

CURED OF PELLAGRA; WOMAN IS SO HAPPY

Ratliff, Miss.—Ida Creel, of this place, writes: "I am enjoying fine health, better than I have in years. My weight is 116; when I began taking your treatment it was 98. I sure can praise your treatment; can eat anything I want and it don't seem to hurt me."

There is no longer any doubt that pellagra can be cured. Don't delay until it is too late. It is your duty to consult the resourceful Baughn.

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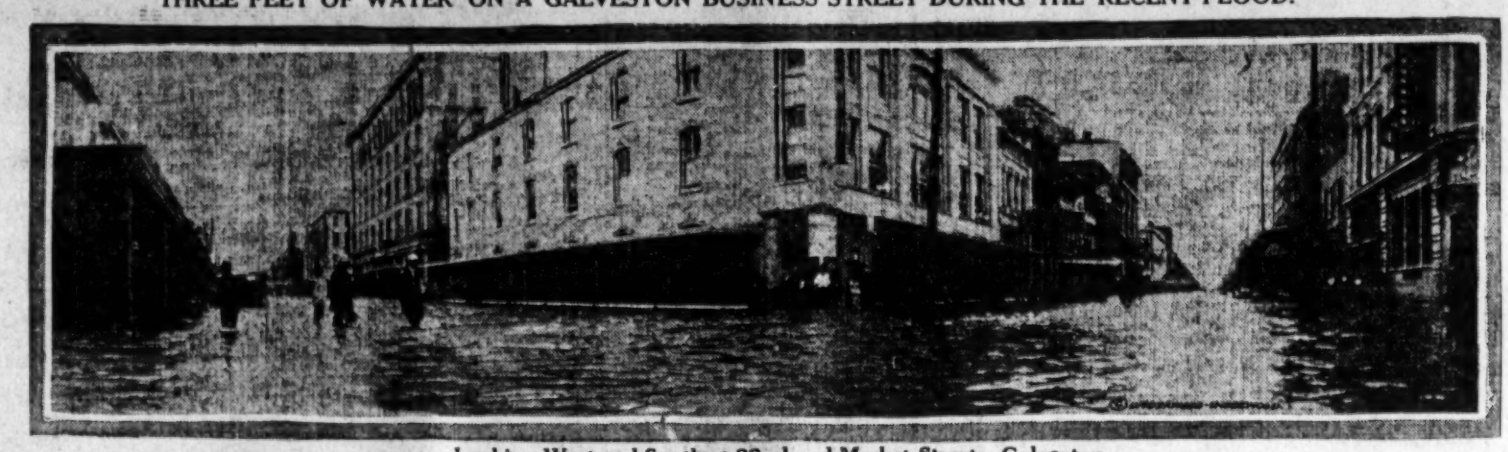
THREE FEET OF WATER ON A GALVESTON BUSINESS STREET DURING THE RECENT FLOOD.



Looking West and South at 22nd and Market Streets, Galveston.

This photograph shows something of what the flood did to Galveston when the waves broke over the costly sea wall of the city. The scene is at Twenty-second and Market streets, looking west and south where there is three feet of water.

WORK OF LYNCHERS PRAISED BY BLEASE

Says it is a Protection to Civilization in the South

ADDRESSES GOVERNORS

Speaks at Boston on "Duty and Responsibility of Chief Executives in Dealing With Prisoners." Condemns "Third Degree."

Boston, Aug. 26.—Former Governor Cole Blease, of South Carolina, in an address delivered here today before the Governors' Conference on "The Duty and Responsibility of Chief Executives in Dealing With Prisoners," declared that the lynching of men in the South for certain crimes is a protection to civilization. He condemned the "third degree" in dealing with prisoners and expressed the opinion that it was worse in some respects than lynching.

"The money we spend for courts and prisons is very ill laid out," said Governor Blease. He continued in part: "We make, by distrust, the thief, the burglar, and incendiary, and by our court and jail we keep him so. An acceptance of the sentiment of love throughout Christendom for a season would bring the felon and the outcast to our side in tears, with the devotion of his faculties to our service.

"Within the past few weeks we read in the newspapers of a man who had made an attempt upon the life of another being plied with questions until he was too weak to talk, then being walked up and down the corridors of his prison to revive him, then plied with questions again, and subjected to God alone knows what else, in the administration of the 'third degree.' Later this prisoner was found on the floor of his cell with his skull crushed in, and it was stated that he had climbed to the top of his cell door and jumped to the floor, killing himself. Whether he was murdered or whether he really committed suicide I do not know; but this I do know, that the suicide of any man would hardly be unnatural under such circumstances, and that the treatment accorded him, before conviction, would have been a disgrace to our civilization even had it occurred after he had been tried and sentenced.

"This 'third degree' method that is practiced in the North and the East and the West—less frequently, I am glad to say, in the South—whether a man be killed during its administration, or whether he be driven to commit suicide, or whether he be tortured sometimes into confessing crimes of which he may be innocent, is barbarity in a sneaking form, under the sanction of law, and those guilty of practicing it evidence a spirit as mean and contemptible as the malice which animates the midnight assassin.

"Three years ago I had the pleasure of addressing this Conference in Richmond. My remarks were telegraphed throughout the nation, and I was heralded to the world as a chief executive who advocated mob violence. I do not propose to go into a discussion of that here, it is entirely beside the question. Suffice it for me to say that in the South, the lynching of a man for the unmentionable crime is a protection to our civilization, while the practice of this 'third degree' violates the letter of our constitution at its most vital point and is a blow to the whole spirit of our institutions. In the South an aroused mob is an outraged community which carries out the law, but brushes aside with mighty force the law's technicalities and delays. There is no hypocritical, sanctimonious violation of fundamental rights under the cloak of law by those sworn to uphold the law; the deed is open, and civilization and justice are vindicated. And when mobs are no longer possible, liberty will be dead.

"The chief executive of a state has not a more serious duty nor graver responsibility than the obligation imposed upon him in dealing with prisoners—and by prisoners I mean to include those in jail awaiting trial.

"A state or a nation that allows its prisoners to suffer cruelties is guilty of a greater crime than the prisoners themselves have committed.

"We have prisons and prison methods in the United States today which are a disgrace to any civilization.

"When I assumed the office of governor of South Carolina, I inaugurated in my state the parole system, and granted hundreds of paroles. I was as vigorously condemned on the one hand and as heartily praised on the other, for nearly every decision I reached upon each individual case, as any man who has ever been in public life in the history of this country. I cared not for the condemnation or the praise. The parole system which I inaugurated was entirely successful. Out of the hundreds of paroles granted, very few failed to lead good lives.

"I believe more firmly today than ever before in the parole system as the most advanced step that has ever been taken in prison reform.

"I believe that the whipping of prisoners should be forbidden except in cases of wilful disobedience of rules or acts of insubordination, and that then the whipping should be administered only in the presence of disinterested citizens of good repute who are not connected in any way, directly or indirectly, with the institution. The people of the nation would be horrified if they knew of the fearful brutality practiced in our prisons—the merciless whippings, the electric shocks, and other forms of shocking cruelties.

"In the majority of cases the family of a prisoner suffers more than the prisoner himself. It seems to me that much of this suffering could be relieved by paying to the dependent family of a prisoner a small compensation for the prisoner's labor."

BRUNSWICK COURT IN SESSION.

Docket Being Cleared But Slowly—Fishing Now Splendid.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., Aug. 26.—August term of Superior court is progressing slowly, the cases of Riley Brown vs. Wilmington' Brunswick & Southern railroad, upon which the jury rendered a verdict in favor of the railroad, after being out all night; and Lesh vs. Lesh, a noted local case, causing slow time to be made with the docket.

Among the well known Wilmington attorneys here this week are Messrs. Jno. D. Bellamy, Robert Ruark, Iredell Meares and Woodus Kellum, who are always warmly greeted by their many friends when they come on professional business or as visitors.

Also may be noted as among those here, Joe Little and Herbert McClammy, whose greetings take on a trifle more seriousness, and whose personal inquiries with every hand-shake have an added personality, for these gentlemen "be candidates." They are both mighty good fellows, and it is a pleasure to greet them, and to even wish that they might both be congressmen from the Sixth.

Those visitors who are fortunate enough to be here just now and have piscatorial aspirations, could find them amply gratified, for hook and line fishing has been unusually fine. It is not "fisherman's luck," these August days to bring home a big string of fish, but simply a matter whether you want to stop when your line is filled with fish, for the fish just "take hold"

GARDNER ADDRESSES VETERANS.

Confederate Reunion in Anson Largely Attended.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wadesboro, N. C., Aug. 26.—One of the largest crowds for many years assembled on the grounds at Lilesville yesterday to pay their respects to the surviving Confederate Veterans of Anson county, at their annual reunion. Mr. Vance Henry, as toastmaster, brought out many short and snappy talks from the "old vets" present, before Hon. O. Max Gardner, of Shelby, was introduced. He made the address of the occasion. Mr. Gardner, who is a candidate for lieutenant governor, made a most interesting address and was favorably received. After the address one of the most sumptuous dinners ever served the veterans was furnished by the ladies of Lilesville. The entire crowd, including 73 veterans and those who attended the reunion in their honor, were amply supplied with the good things that made up this liberal spread.

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SAYS LYNCHING FOR CERTAIN CRIMES IS A PROTECTION TO CIVILIZATION

Cole Blease, former governor of South Carolina, who is again a candidate for the same office, addressed the Governors' Conference in Boston yesterday and declared that lynching for certain crimes in the South is a protection to civilization. He bitterly condemned the practice of the "third degree" and advocated the parole system and the payment to families of convicts of part of the proceeds of the prisoners' labors.

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By virtue and in pursuance of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by Sabina Judicki to William Gregerson, on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1914, and duly recorded in book 78, page 362 et. seq. in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, the undersigned mortgagee will expose for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, and State of North Carolina, on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1915, at twelve o'clock M., the following described tract, piece or parcel of land lying, being and situate in Cape Fear Township, County of New Hanover and State of North Carolina and bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the northerly line of Marathon Avenue where said line crosses the center of the Branch known as Rocky Run and down and with the meanders of said Rocky Run following the center of said run to the mouth thereof, where it empties into Prince George Creek, thence in a westerly direction down and with the run of Prince George Creek, following the meanders of the Southerly bank thereof, to a point where the dividing line of Farm No. 8 and Farm No. 9 of the Marathon colony strikes said Southerly bank of said Prince George Creek, thence in a southerly direction along the dividing line of Farm No. 8 and Farm No. 9 and at right angles to Marathon avenue to the northerly line of Marathon avenue and thence eastwardly along said northerly line of Marathon avenue eight hundred and thirty (830) feet to the point or place of beginning, the same being a part of Farm No. 6 and all of Farms Nos. 7 and 8 of the Marathon Colony as shown on the official map made by C. R. Humphreys in the year 1905 and containing 23 1-3 acres more or less, saving and excepting from the above description the old grave yard located on Farm No. 8 as shown on said map, subject to the conditions, limitations and restrictions set forth in deed to William Gregerson, recorded in book 72 at page 597 of the records of Register of Deeds of New Hanover County aforesaid.

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TOP O' THE MORNING

I am sorry for men who do not read the Bible every day; I wonder why they deprive themselves of the strength and of the pleasure. There is no other book that yields its meaning so personally, that seems to fit itself so intimately to the very spirit that is seeking its guidance.

WOODROW WILSON.

Avaunt with those rye-bald South Carolina paragraphers!

The scramble for office begins just as soon as an office becomes vacant.

Whoever did hear of a surplus of watermelons anywhere? Show us.

Blease is to be a candidate for governor again! Poor South Carolina!

Cold suds might relieve the heated season, but there's no such thing—suds, of course.

Does the Colonel's preparedness mean for defense or for going after foreign countries which are not after us?

A doctor says "avoid hay fever." Oh, well, we might imagine we can avoid it, but hay fever won't avoid us. It's to blame.

Says the Newbern Sun: "The Russians must be waiting for cold weather." Come to think of it, skating might be to their advantage.

We don't want St. Nicholas Mole. We want the robust and picturesque war liar who interned himself there for the war with Spain.

A nation of natural born grafters puts up a poor fight when the opportunity comes for some to do the grafting while others do the fighting.

S'bout time for you to decide that your numerous friends want you to run for some lucrative office that you want out of next year's campaign.

A few of our people get in Germany's way and lots of our commerce gets in Great Britain's way. We seem to insist on our privilege to get in the way.

Roosevelt's Plattsburg speech, taken as a whole, impresses us as the frantic ravings of a man who has become a fanatic on the subject of going to war for the sake of war.

"Snapped out" is good when reference is made to Teddy's style of talking with his mouth wide open. The crowd takes Teddy as the equivalent of a circus.

President Wilson ought to make friends on account of those who hop on him because he won't find some excuse for dragging this country into war.

Now is the time for us to jump on some nation while it has others holding it down. However, if we can't get a chance to meddle in Europe's family row, Haiti had better look out.

Do "thinking men" jeer at a man when he hesitates on the brink of danger? However, "the human fly" only has his fun out of the crowd when he makes out as if he is afraid to crawl a wall that wabbles. It is one of his jokes on "de guys."

If we were called upon to accurately describe Theodore Roosevelt, we know no better description than to say he is exactly what Germany's enemies say the Kaiser is. The fellow who dubbed Teddy "the Emperor William of America" knew what he was talking about.

In his Plattsburg speech on Wednesday Colonel Roosevelt said to his gaping audience: "The surest way for a nation to invite disaster is to be rich, aggressive and unarmed." Another sure way is to let Teddy run the country a while. However, the Colonel only manifests his irresponsibility when he is out of office. When he was president and felt his responsibity he promptly called California down on the school question when the Japs walked all around him with a chip on their shoulder. Among other Americans who haven't forgotten that is us.

BLADEN'S GREAT OPPORTUNITY

Uneviable notice has been attracted recently to Bladen county because of the pellagra situation there. Perhaps Bladen has no more of that strange disease than other counties, but the existence of the disease, to whatever extent it may prevail, caused the people of Bladen to sit up and take notice. It has been decided to take prompt action towards eradicating the disease and it is that agitation which has emphasized the fact that the county has more pellagra than it wants and that the county proposes to stamp it out.

This is commendable in Bladen, if the measures that are to be adopted are promptly undertaken and co-operated in by everybody in the county. It is a situation of such serious consequence to the county that not a soul should do a thing or say anything that would even appear to similate opposition. Bladen cannot afford a lack of harmony during such a critical time, hence it is hoped there is nothing in the report that even a small number of people are contending that the money to be spent in the campaign of eradication should be handled by home physicians.

Really the amount of money to be subscribed in Bladen towards the campaign is such a bagatelle that it would be ridiculous to contend over it in view of the serious proposition in hand. The State Board of Health, backed by the United States Public Health Service, has made the proposition to Bladen that if the county will raise $600, an expert will be sent into the county with an automobile to give his whole time for three months in carrying on a campaign to eliminate pellagra. It is planned for the expert to go into every part of the county, seeking out those having the disease, and to prescribe for the patients and give advice as to diet, treatment, sanitation, etc. Each case will be closely followed up to see that the advice is followed and that results may be achieved.

The State Board of Health is confident that by following up such a campaign the situation can be gotten in hand and the disease stamped out as early and as vigorously as possible. By all means the citizens of Bladen should place this entire matter in the hands of the State health authorities, where it belongs. It is a grave health problem and it is not one for the least cavil by either professional men or laymen. Bladen should turn over her money to the State Board just as early as possible and let it work out its own plan and method, since the board is organized and and equipped for work which the county is to pay for only in part.

It is not a question of money or of benefit for any individual or several individuals, but one solely and gravely concerning the public. Owing to that fact, we are sure no captious spirit will be manifested by thinking people in Bladen.

We are reminded that Bladen, perhaps, has no more pellagra than other counties, but she has the chance to be the pioneer in this State in a campaign of eradication that will give her credit and renown throughout North Carolina and in every Southern state.

Bladen needs to hit while the iron is hot. In slaying a dragon it is for every man to aid, even to burning its teeth, so there can be no dragon's teeth to be sown.

BEST COUNTRY IN THE WORLD.

A Wilmington man says he had no idea that prosperity could be so easily found as is the case in several counties around Wilmington. He said he heard folks in Wilmington talking about "present conditions," but inasmuch as he had to go off on a little business trip through the country, he left others talking while he went off to look after business.

He said he was utterly surprised to find some communities in a state of the highest prosperity. Farmers had good crops of tobacco, cotton, peanuts, corn, potatoes, and practically everything a farmer can grow. Tobacco is bringing in more cash than it did last year, while cotton and peanuts will soon be ready for market, if the farmers care to sell. However, with tobacco money in their wallets, they don't have to sell anything else till they get good and ready to do it.

Farmers have taken The Star's advice, he said. They have diversified their crops and anything of a dozen crops means cash the minute the products reach the market. Some farmers get strawberry and truck money in the spring, rake in mid-summer tobacco money, and in the early fall and winter they can sell cotton, peanuts, potatoes and North Carolina hams.

"Lemme tell you," said the Wilmingtonian, "the farmers in this country have the eats." He says you can't tell him, for he left chicken fragments and ham bones in his wake, and the pot was on everywhere he went. A land of plenty was what he went through, while plenty of everything is yet to be harvested and sold or stored for keeps.

Wouldn't it be splendid if the farmers all over the cotton country could mix their money crops like those in tidal North Carolina do? However, we should not forget that this is the best country in the world.

PORK BARREL PUNK.

Just about the time that the friends of water transportation in this country had it fairly well educated up to the importance and necessity of a national system of waterways, a large section of the press discovered the "pork barrel" and played upon a harp with one twanging string. It's the blow that's almost killed the waterways.

We are not surprised that congressmen and candidates for Congress are afraid to work or talk for appropriations for the improvement of the harbors and navigable waters of America. Even the engineers, impressed by the "pork barrel" cry, have turned down many meritorious waterway propositions. The reaction in this respect has gone too far, and the country needs to wake up to the fact that it will find itself still further behind all the world on the vital matter of water transportation in the economics of its business and industries.

The Manufacturers Record, of August 26, sounds an alarm on this question in connection with the recommendation of the engineers that the government cease expenditures in the improvement of the Missouri river waterway. The fight for the Missouri will be carried into Congress and it ought to win.

It is time for a renewed awakening on this great national question, and The Record of this week in more than one instance strongly emphasizes the fatal error that is being made in this country as to its rivers and harbors. The people may find it out too late.

GO EASY ON CHICAGO

The cold-blooded assassination of a preacher in Indiana shows what an awful community Chicago is! Chicago deserves a terrible tongue-lashing and inexorable excoriation for being the center of a civilization and hybrid morality that produces preacher killers who sneak around at night and shoot a minister who has the temerity to express an opinion! Of course, they are trying to put all the blame on the preacher because of the allegation that he was mixed up in an intrigue with a female of the species, but that even makes it worse.

We can't possibly see how Chicago can get out of it, so she may as well pull in the blinds to keep from being seen by argus-eyed civilization. In behalf of Chicago, however, we beg the untutored South not to give credence to everything that is blamed on Chicago.

We really admire Chicago for having a large amount of virtuous indignation, but she ought not to let the more or less esteemed and perversely peeved Chicago Tribune do her tongue-lashing for her. The Tribune really spoils the moral effect by delivering a lecture like the scrawny ash-hopper woman who gave General Sheridan a piece of her mind because his "criter company" tore down her ash hopper.

There are times when tongue lashings become so absurd that they constitute a characteristic type of American humor.

There is a striking similarity between the utterances of Cole Blease in Boston yesterday and the sentiment expressed by the Georgia mob that lynched Frank, as reported by the Associated Press in Monday morning's papers. The mob was "patriotically carrying out the mandates of the court." Blease was paying tribute to the mob for its beneficent "protection to civilization." However, the whole country and the North especially, ought to remember that Blease and the mob are in a small minority "down South." The sentiments of neither can be taken as typical of those of a single state.

That portion of ex-Governor Blease's address emphasizing in the strongest terms possible his condemnation of the practice of the "third degree" with its tortures and barbarisms upon men not yet convicted of any crime, should be endorsed, as it probably will be, by the entire South, as well as the country generally, but the ex-Governor spoils what otherwise would have been a fine address by dragging in the declaration that the lynching of men in the South for certain crimes is a protection to civilization.

A large portion of the press roasts Bryan because he wants to see the country at peace, while the same papers swat Roosevelt because he wants to go to war. Probably that portion of the press is hankering after an opportunity to approve some bluffer who will bluster around and finally have cold feet that will need attention. What does this country want, anyhow? It's got us guessing.

Roosevelt in the same speech abuses Wilson, Bryan, the Germans and the German-Americans. In fact, in his estimation, there is not a citizen of America worth the name except those, like himself, who are panting to get into the scrap in Europe. It's a pity Roosevelt was not born and raised in Mexico, so he could get his fill of war.

The remedy for the inaccessibility of some of our richest sections is good roads. Their inaccessibility keeps them from being developed. Their inaccessibility makes them undesirable for home-seekers. The pracipal drawback to many splendid localities is their inaccessibility.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Of course, with Roosevelt running at large, this country would do well to devote serious thought to the matter of Preparedness.—Greensboro News. (Ind.)

Far be it from us to question the wisdom and correctness of information of Washington correspondents of daily papers. They have sources of information which make their letters illuminating and of great value; yet we cannot help but wonder if somebody had not been stacking the cards on them when they write that cotton farmers can afford to take less for the present crop than they could afford to take for last year's crop because it has cost less to produce it. Has it cost less to produce it? There are plenty of intelligent farmers who will tell you that it has not cost less, that it has actually cost more per pound. It is of course true that less commercial fertilizer has been used, but farmers claim with reason that the fertilizer expense takes care of itself in increased production, and that while there are not the usual heavy fertilizer bills to meet, the falling off in yield due to the smaller amount of fertilizer will more than make up for the difference. And supplies have cost more. We are not pessimistic about the outlook at all; we believe that farmers are in much better shape to stand a low price for cotton than they were a year ago; but that is due to the fact that economy has been practiced and more home supplies have been raised, and not to the supposed fact that it has cost less to raise their cotton. And so when it comes to figuring what this year's crop of cotton is worth on the basis of what it cost to make it, it is doubtful if it could honestly be figured as worth less the pound than last year's crop.—Lumberton Robesonian.

The cables tell how, following the sinking of the Arabic, the sailing of the Saxonia was cancelled. The disaster had an immediate effect on steamship bookings. Many who had planned to sail on other vessels shifted to the American line, or the Holland-American line. The question arises, why did not people shift to such lines in the beginning? Not being a traveled gentleman we speak largely in ignorance, but why is it that only the fear of almost certain death can move American citizens to take passage under the American flag? Are they given passage on the ammunition transports for the protection which their presence on board may give the ships? Does the American compromise himself, socially, by taking passage under the Stars and Stripes? Americans who have legitimate business abroad may claim the protection of the American flag, or the protection of some foreign flag. Why do they conclude, unless death stares them right in the face, to chance it under some foreign flag? Foreign ships are foreign soil in the opinion of many Americans in high places. England has taken that position just as she took the position that cotton should never, under any circumstances, be declared contraband. During the Russo-Japanese war England notified her subjects that she could not protect them unless they took passage under the flag of their country. It is simply another one of those questions upon which authorities disagree. Precedents may be marshaled by either side to the argument. Our diplomacy has taken the side which makes for trouble and for possible war.—Greensboro News (Ind.)

Spot cotton shows no break despite the fact that Great Britain has made it contraband of war. Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo has announced that $30,000,000 or more in gold will be used to finance cotton, if this is found necessary, the money to be deposited in the Federal Reserve banks at Atlanta, Dallas and Richmond, or directly with the national banks, agreeing to lend money on cotton as collateral at a rate not exceeding 6 per cent. That plan has been received with afvor on the cotton markets. Cotton men in this city agree that if Great Britain goes on the market for surplus cotton it will be doing a fine stroke of business for itself, that it would be the gainer, while the market would be aided. The position of President Wilson is that the United States government will do all that is possible to aid cotton, and it is agreed that this is much. Among other things is that protests are to be made to Great Britain against its position in the contraband matter, as well as the taking of active steps by the United States government in providing the money to finance the crop. Above all things there should be no rushing of the cotton on the market. Only that portion of the crop needed to meet obligations and keep affairs in running shaps should be put on the market for awhile, till things are straightened out. The cotton farmers have their salvation in their own hands, and they should act with caution and prudence. This is not 1914 with everything in chaos, but 1915 with past experience to guide steps which will care fully and completely for the situation.—Raleigh News and Observer.

SANITARY CARE OF PRISONERS.

State Board of Health and State Highway Commission Issue Bulletin.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 26.—The latest bulletin prepared by the State Board of Health in connection with the State Highway Commission is "The Sanitary and Hygienic Care of Prisoners." This bulletin contains plans and specifications for three types of sanitary portable convict camps with detailed explanations and directions for the construction and equipment of the same. The plans are in the blue print form and were prepared by Mr. Frank K. Thompson, of Raleigh, architect. They embody the best ideas of convict camp construction and equipment now in use in the different states, and have called for no little pains, time and expense. They are to be had free upon application to the State Board of Health, at Raleigh, or to the State Highway Commission, at Chapel Hill.

A copy of these plans is being sent to all the superior court judges of the State, to all the county commissioners and to the members of the State Board of Health. In this connection, it may be said, that the executive staff of the State Board of Health will soon be ready to offer its service to all superior court judges in the State to inspect and report on all State and county prison camps.

The bulletin contains, also, rules and regulations for the sanitary management of convict camps and makes use of an efficient score card system. The especial points to be taken note of in this system are location, construction as to air and ventilation, water supply, food and nutrition, clothing, bed, bathing, sleep and recreation, sewerage, vermin, flies and mosquitoes, diseases and religious services. While these rules are especially applicable to camps, they are just as applicable to jails, prisons or State farms.

"It is to be regretted," says this bulletin, "that any persons still hold to the old idea that conviction for a crime eliminated the convicted person from the good will and any just consideration of society. It is this idea that has been the cause of so much cruelty and inhuman treatment of thousands of unfortunate men and women. The State," it says, "on her part, owes it to the prisoner to assist him in every way to pay his debt as speedily and economically as possible and in such a way that he is a better man when his debt is paid than when he was convicted."

PLANING MILL THREATENED.

Boiler Room of Wilson Plant at Warsaw Destroyed by Fire.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., Aug. 26.—The planing mill of W. S. Wilson Company was threatened by fire Wednesday afternoon, when the boiler room was destroyed. The smoke stack had been freshly painted, and the blaze originated there. In falling, it ignited the tar-paper covering of the roof which quickly spread over the boiler room, destroying it and rapidly gaining headway, when the local fire engine and volunteer fire fighters were brought into service. Their combined efforts were sufficient to gain control of the flames, and they extinguished the fire. The insurance will fully cover the loss.

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Many Splendid Bargains are still being offered during the Great August Clearing Sale.

Kinston, N. C., Aug. 26.—Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue I. M. Tull believes illicit distilling is on the increase in his district. "The quart law" is responsible," he says. Tull said yesterday that there are two or three more stills in Lenoir county now probably than there were two months ago, and the same could be said of the surrounding counties. It was not unexpected to the "revenuers" that the moonshine business waxed lustily after the new law became effective.

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RECAPITULATION OF THE TAXABLE PROPERTY

In New Hanover Shows Increase of Nearly $3,000,000

Decrease of Quarter Million in Personal Property While Realty Shows Gain of Three Million—Big Increase in City.

The recapitulation of the real and personal property in New Hanover county, which has just been completed by Mr. W. A. Williams, clerk to the Board of County Commissioners, shows an aggregate of $17,853,821 as compared with $15,153,884 for last year, this being an increase of $2,699,937. The corporate excess and the bank stock listed has not yet been received from the Corporation Commission, but taking the totals for last year for these two items as a basis the total taxable property of the county would amount to $22,014,659. It is expected that there will be a sufficient increase in the two latter items to bring the total amount of taxable property up to $22,100,000, the estimated value upon which the Board of Commissioners made their levy several weeks ago.

The aggregate value of the real property is $14,566,809 as compared with $11,607,917 for last year, showing an increase of $2,958,892. This is not far short of the estimated increase of $3,000,000. Personal property showed a decrease of $258,955 this year, the total amount being $3,287,012 as compared with $3,545,967 for last year. The corporate excess for last year amounted to $2,729,265, while the bank stock amounted to $1,431,573.

Under the head of real property is listed 109,972 acres of land, valued at $2,088,509; manufacturing sites located outside any incorporated city limits, $349,500, and 5,771 town lots, valued at $12,128,800.

Under the head of personal property is listed the following: 889 horses at $66,151; 529 mules at $40,825; three jacks at $85; 836 cattle at $19,397; 2,490 hogs at $6,269; two sheep at $2; 51 goats at $56; seven dogs not valued.

Other items include the following: Farming utensils, $40,771; carriages, wagons and other vehicles, $39,239; office furniture, $11,303; tools of mechanics, $6,968; household and kitchen furniture, $477,197; libraries and scientific instruments, $20,647; money on hand, $228,294; solvent credits, $588,213; shares of stocks in manufacturing enterprises, $56,127; automobiles, pleasure boats and bicycles, $133,121; seines and nets $29,534; jewelry, goods, merchandise, tobacco, turpentine, whiskey, brandies and other articles, $1,555,598. The total amount of incomes listed is $453,643.

Mr. Williams has been assisted in getting up the recapitulation by Messrs. Walter Rutland and B. F. King and Mrs. Williamson. They have been working early and late on the books and just as soon as the Corporation Commission certifies to the corporate excess and the bank stock will start on the calculation of taxes for the ensuing year. Mr. J. A. Orrell, county auditor and treasurer, in whose office the tax books are being made out, is away on a short vacation, but is expected to return this week.

The total amount of taxable property in Wilmington, according to figures given yesterday by Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, will be $17,212,306, an increase of $2,117,233 over last year. It seems to be assured that with this increase a reduction in the tax rate can be made from $2 to $1.90. This would bring in a revenue of about $325,000 and added to this would be about $30,000 for license taxes, bringing the total up to about $350,000. The budget for the present year calls for $316,000. There is a deficit of about $100,000 and the present Council is working along the lines of staying within the budget and paying off some of the indebtedness as well as reducing the tax rate.

The real estate in the city is valued at $12,128,800 as compared with $8,998,835 for last year, while the personal property is assessed at $890,527 as compared with $537,080 for last year. Money and solvent credits is listed at $770,103 as against $688,370 for the last year. Stock in trade is listed at $1,303,176 as compared with $1,451,088 for the previous year. The corporation excess and bank stock was assessed last year at $2,119,700 and it is expected that it will be about the same this year.

TRIBUTE TO WILMINGTONIANS

Little Miss Stoner Writes Poems of Appreciation Public Spirited Men.

In the book, Facts in Jingles," just issued from the Bobbs Merrill press, Wilmington receives high praise as the city which has a real fairy named Mr. James Sprunt and a Santa Claus called Mr. Sam Bear. Little Miss Stoner, the young author of this remarkable book of jingles, is a great admirer of these two "rare souls" and sharing the belief with her mother, that monuments in song and marble should be reared to constructive geniuses, rather than to destructives ones, she has published these poems as a tribute to two men who are doing much toward making Wilmington a city of which Uncle Sam should be justly proud.

LIGHT DOCKET YESTERDAY.

Recorder Had Only One New Case. Disposed of Old Ones.

The only new case to come before Recorder Empie yesterday was one against Oliver Hall, colored, for vagrancy, and judgment was left open. The docket was very light, but a few old cases were disposed of.

Probable cause was found in a case against William Bryant, colored, charged with housebreaking, and he went to jail in default of bond in the sum of $100. John Hennegan, colored, who was sentenced to three months on the roads for larceny Wednesday, was given another hearing in the case against him for carrying a concealed weapon and he was given another three months to begin when the first sentence is finished. Sarah Brown, colored, was found not guilty of vagrancy.

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AN ELECTION MAY BE HELD

New Hanover Board of Commissioners Have Authority to Submit Bridge Proposition to People.

While the action of the Board of Commissioners of Brunswick county in calling on the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover to do something regarding the building of a bridge across the Cape Fear river, between Wilmington and that county, or else establish a free ferry across the river, has created considerable discussion in Wilmington, there does not seem to be any well defined sentiment as to what ought to be done about the matter. The New Hanover Board has the authority under existing statutes to call an election to vote a bond issue either to build a bridge or to provide for a free ferry, but it is considered extremely doubtful at the present time, if either issue would carry.

Chairman W. A. McGirt, of the New Hanover Board, said yesterday that he would not consider it wise to take any action on the matter now, unless the people of the county want something done, and even in that event the Commissioners could not do more than call an election. He did not want to be understood as being for or against either proposition, but thought that whatever is done should be in accordance with the wishes of the people.

Under an act passed by the Legislature of 1913, the Commissioners have the authority to call an election on the question of issuing bonds, not exceeding the amount of $250,000, to be used in the construction of a steel bridge across the river, while an amendment to the act, passed by the last General Assembly, provides for holding an election on the question of issuing bonds to the amount of $50,000, to be used for establishing a free ferry across the river.

In either event, should the issue carry, the Commissioners would be empowered to levy a special tax of not exceeding ten cents on the $100 valuation, and 30 cents on the poll. It is provided further that should this county build a steel bridge across the Cape Fear river that Brunswick shall build a bridge across the Brunswick river. It is further provided that should the bridge be built and the causeway between the two rivers improved, then Eagle's Island shall be ceded to New Hanover.

The matter will probably be taken up by the New Hanover Board at its meeting Monday.

GOVERNMENT POSITIONS.

Civil Service Commission Announces Examinations to be Held Soon.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces a number of open competitive examinations to be held in Wilmington during September and October for government positions. These will be open only to men and application blanks and other information can be secured from the Commission or from the secretary of the United States Civil Service Board in Wilmington. Following are the dates and the list of the examinations:

September 8—Assistant in poisonous plant investigations, salary of from $1,200 to $1,500; scientific assistant in poultry husbandry, salary from $1,000 to $1,800 a year; cheese maker, salary of from $1,200 to $1,440.

September 14th—Petroleum engineer, salary of from $2,500 to $3,000; assistant supervisor of accounts for the Interstate Commerce Commission at salary ranging from $2,600 to $4,800 a year.

September 22-23—Laboratory assistant in petrography at salary of $1,080 a year; assistant irrigation engineer at salary of $1,000 to $1,500; wireless telegraph operator at salary of $720 to $1,080 a year.

September 28—Quarantine inspector at salary of $2,400.

October 6—Microanalyst at salary of $1,200 to $1,440 a year.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ATKINSON.

Services Conducted from St. James' Church Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Bettie Andrews Atkinson, widow of Col. John Wilder Atkinson, was held in St. James' Episcopal church yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Moore, who is serving the church as rector during the absence of Rev. Dr. W. H. Milton, who is away on his vacation. There was a large number of sorrowing friends in attendance and a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, including many which were sent by out-of-town friends and relatives. The choir of St. James' church sang several selections. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

The pallbearers were as follow: Honorary—Dr. J. H. Durham, Dr. John H. Hardin, Mr. William Latimer and Mr. J. A. Taylor. Active — Messrs. Geo. B. Elliott, Milton Calder, J. F. Roache, Clayton Giles, Jr., Thos. H. Wright and Stephen D. Lucas.

Out-of-town relatives here to attend the funeral were: Mr. Phil. Andrews, Mr. John H. Andrews and Mr. Wm. J. Andrews, all of Raleigh; Mrs. Thomas Haughton, of Charlotte, and Mrs. Anna R. Davis, of Henderson.

MR. COLE HAS FARM

Proprietor of Furniture Store is Excellent Agriculturist.

Mr. Henderson Cole, proprietor of the Wilmington Furniture Company, has several acres of excellent farming land at his place in East Wilmington which he helps cultivate himself. Mr. Cole is a business man of ability, who has made a success, but he especially likes farming. He helps work his own farm, thereby better equipping himself for the duties of the day, as well as saving hiring help on his farm. County Farm Demonstrator J. P. Herring estimates that he will make 60 bushels to the acre on his seven acres of corn. He also has a fine garden in which he raises practically all vegetables needed at his home.

GUN SHOOT TODAY

Several Trophies to be Awarded Winners in Events This Afternoon.

The members of the New Hanover Gun Club and their friends will have a gun shoot at the grounds of the club at 17th and Castle streets this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. There will be several trophies awarded the winners and it is expected that there will be quite a large number to take part in the events.

Having a Great Trip.

Friends in the city have received interesting souvenir cards from Miss Annie Banks, who is touring the West with the Bijou party, stating that she is having a great trip. She and Miss Beulah Walker are now in Canada with the party. They will return to Wilmington on September 4.

MUST ATTEND THE INSTITUTE

Chairman J. O. Carr, of the Board of Education, Issues Statement to Teachers of New Hanover.

Chairman J. O. Carr, of the Board of Education of New Hanover, yesterday issued a statement to the teachers of the county calling attention to the fact that the school law makes it mandatory upon the board to require all teachers to attend the Teachers 'Institute which will be held in Wilmington, beginning September 1 and continuing for two weeks. The statement by Mr. Carr is as follows:

"To the Teachers of New Hanover County.

"With reference to the Teachers' Institute to be held in the city of Wilmington, for New Hanover county, beginning September 1, I beg to call your attention to the following extract from the school law pertaining to same:

" 'The County Board of Education of every county shall biennially appropriate an amount of not less than two hundred dollars ($200), nor more than two hundred and fifty dollars ($250) out of the public school funds of the county, the definite amount between the minimum and the maximum thus fixed to be determined by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, for the purpose of conducting biennially a teachers' institute and school for the training of the public school teachers of the county at some convenient and satisfactory place.'

"All public school teachers of the State and all high school and graded schools teachers are hereby required to attend biennially some county teachers' institute or accredited summer school continuously for a term of not less than two weeks, unless providentially hindered; and failure so to attend such institute or summer school shall be cause for debarring in any of the public schools, high schools, or graded schools of the State until such teacher shall have attended, as required by law, some county institute or accredited school as herein provided for.'

"You will note that the board of education has no discretion in this matter and that we are required to carry out this law, and the State authorities demand it.

"We have made the appropriation for this purpose and the teacher who does not comply with the requirement will necessarily forfeit her position as teacher in the public schools of New Hanover county.

"I am calling your attention to this especially because the law is mandatory on the board of education and it would be unfair to excuse one teacher from complying, while others are making sacrifices to comply with the law.

Yours very truly,
"J. O. CARR,
"Chairman County Board of Education."

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR RALLY

Mr. Karl Lehmann to Speak at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church—Here to Meet Executive Committee.

Mr. Karl Lehmann, who was recently elected secretary of the All-South extension committee of the United Christian Endeavor Society, will deliver an address at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church tonight at 8 o'clock to the members of the different societies of the city and their friends. Mr. Lehmann has been in Wilmington on several occasions and is well known to many people in the city. The public is cordially invited to attend the rally tonight.

While here Mr. Lehmann will confer with the executive committee of the North Carolina Christian Endeavor Union. Mr. George Mitchell, president of the State Union, Mr. Newton Fisher, State treasurer, and Miss Isabelle McDougall, State secretary, three members of the committee, reside in this city.

Mr. Lehmann served for four years as field secretary of the Christian Endeavor Unions of Colorado and New Mexico and for five years as field secretary of the National Christian Endeavor Union. He was recently elected secretary of the All-South extension committee and is now engaged in making a tour of the South for the purpose of conferring with the different state executive committees to outline the plans for the campaign which will be conducted under his direction in the various Southern states. He will leave tomorrow morning for Columbia, S. C., where he will speak and also confer with the executive committee of the South Carolina Christian Endeavor Union.

Mr. Lehmann will return to North Carolina in October to spend two weeks in making addresses and conducting rallies in the different cities of the State. Wilmington is the only point he will visit in the State on his present trip.

Mr. Lehmann has spoken in every State in the Union and has also visited the West Indies in the interest of the Christian Endeavor work. He is a splendid speaker and has an inspiring message.

GETTING READY FOR COURT

Witnesses Being Summoned for September Term of Superior Court.

Deputies in Sheriff's Cowan's office were busy yesterday serving summonses on witnesses who will be presided over by Judge George Rountree, who has exchanged courts with Judge F. A. Daniels, in order that he may complete the work of investigating the alleged election frauds which was begun at the last term of court. Court convenes on Monday, September 16, and there will be a large number of cases to be tried.

Many of the witnesses being summoned are to go before the grand jury and it is presumed that this is in connection with the election cases which were investigated at the last term. Several witnesses, wanted at that time, were out of the city and it is presumed that further investigations in this matter will be made by the grand jury at the next time. It is understood that several presentments were returned at the last term of court against persons in connection with these cases but this does not mean necessarily that bills of indictment will follow.

—Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Friends of Mr. Lawrence Williamson were glad to see him again in his old home. Mr. Williamson came up from Wilmington to attend the funeral of Mr. Louis B. Hale."

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NEW FERTILIZER PLANT WILL BE LOCATED HERE

N. B. Josey Guano Company Purchases Site at Hilton

Work Will Begin on Erection of Factory Immediately—Ready for Operation by Next Season—Cost Approximately $15,000.

The N. B. Josey Guano Company, which already has fertilizer plants in operation at Tarboro and Scotland Neck, will establish in Wilmington a factory for the mixing of guano which will be distributed throughout this entire section. Five acres of land on the north side of the railroad at Hilton and adjoining the Cape Fear river has been purchased from the Camp Manufacturing Company and work will begin immediately on the construction of the factory, which will cost approximately $15,000.

Mr. E. B. Josey, who for the past five years has been the manager of the plant at Tarboro, has arrived in the city and will have active supervision of the erection of the plant here which will be completed in time for operation during the next fertilizer season. He will make his home in Wilmington and will be the manager of the plant. His father is the manager of the plant at Scotland Neck which has been in operation for the last seven years.

It is of interest to know that it was decided to locate the factory in Wilmington after giving Norfolk careful consideration because it was found that this was a more advantageous location for the territory that it is desired to reach. The N. B. Josey Guano Company does an extensive fertilizer business throughout the eastern section of North Carolina but has not heretofore sold much guano in the territory around Wilmington.

The company makes a specialty of mixing guano which is made of cotton seed meal and fish scrap. Both materials can be secured in Wilmington in large quantities at reasonable prices.

The site for the plant is a part of the Angola mill property across the railroad from the city waterworks plant at Hilton in the northern part of the city and was used by the Camp Manufacturing plant for several years for a lumber plant. It has considerable water frontage and there is also a spur from the main line of the Seaboard and Atlantic Coast Line railroads which provide every facility for shipping either by water or rail.

Work will begin today in getting the ground ready for the new building which will be started early in September. It will be a one-story frame building with a composition roof and will be 280 feet in length and 127 feet in width. The structure will be constructed so that an addition of 100 feet can be made to the length without inconvenience. There is also sufficient room on the site for the erection of other buildings as they are needed.

Mr. E. B. Josey said last night that the contract for the lumber to be used in the erection of the building has already been awarded while the work of construction will be done directly under his supervision.

Wilmington has long been one of the most prominent fertilizer centers in the South and there are a number of big plants located in close proximity to the city. It offers superior advantages for the manufacture of fertilizers of all kinds.

FORD KEEPS HIS WORD.

Mr. W. P. McGlaughon Receives $50 Check from Auto Company.

Mr. W. P. McGlaughon is the happy possessor of the evidence that the Ford Automobile Company kept their word about returning $50 to every purchaser, if their sales amounted to more than 300,000 during the year ending August 1, 1915. The sales exceeded that number by several thousand. The company will not make such a rebate this year, but will instead make a reduction in the price of the car. Mr. McGlaughon's check is No. 57,449, dated August 15th, 1915, signed by H. E. Schulken, assistant cashier and is drawn on the Highland Park State Bank, Highland Park, Mich.

TO BUILD NEW RESIDENCE.

Mr. J. Victor Grainger, Jr., Will Erect Building on Chestnut Street.

Mr. J. Victor Grainger, Jr., has been granted a permit by the building inspector for the erection of a seven-room residence on Chestnut street between 17th and 18th streets. The estimated cost is named as being $3,000. Miss Lucile Murchison has been given permission to build an addition to the residence on Ann street, between Third and Fourth, the estimated cost being $1,500.

A permit has been granted to Mr. John F. Rulfs for the erection of a four-room dwelling on Miller street between Wood and Bay at an estimated cost of $400.

MR. WILLOUGHBY IN CHARGE.

No Successor to Late E. B. Pleasants Has Yet Been Appointed.

No announcement has yet been made as to who will be appointed chief engineer of the Atlantic Coast Line to succeed the late E. B. Pleasants, whose death occurred in Washington, D. C., on Sunday afternoon. Mr. J. E. Willoughby, assistant engineer, is now in charge of the department. Several names have been mentionsd for the place, but nothing definite is yet known.

Photographs to Mrs. Warwell.

Captain Hollasch, of the German steamer Nicaria, interned in this port, yesterday sent photographs of the grave of the late Chief Engineer Warwell to his wife in Germany. The photos show a large number of friends from the steamers and from the city of Wilmington gathered around the grave to do him honor. This photo will always have tender associations for the bereaved widow. It will be remembered that Engineer Warwell was one of the victims of the river tragedy several weeks ago.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: Dixie Land & Development Company to W. T. Hinnant, for $10 and other considerations, lots 1 and 2 in Black 10, of South Wilmington Heights; L. W. Moore and wife to Grace Lord Korb, for $100 and other considerations, farm No. 25 in Winter Park Gardens; C. W. B. Korb and wife to L. W. Moore, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west side of Ninth street, 99 feet south of Dock, 33x102.8 feet in size; Kate B. Lilly to Anne deR. Townes, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east side of Fifth street, 99 feet south of Orange, 33x96 feet in size; Southern Realty & Development Co., to H. M. Loy, of Jacksonville, N. C., lots 331 and 332 in Lakeside Park.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. W. G. James left this morning for Swannanoa, where she will spend the remainder of the summer.

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Friends in the city are enjoying a visit from Mrs. F. A. Wood, of Sumter, S. C., and Master Charles E. Hodges.

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After a most delightful visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Meredith, at their home, in Winter Park, Miss Altah Pickett has returned to her home in High Point.

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Miss Catherine Bruff has gone to Philadelphia, Pa., where she will spend some time visiting friends and relatives.

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Miss Lillian Brown, of Goldsboro, N. C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Atkinson, at her home, No. 120 Walnut street.

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Miss Mary Wooten, of Savannah, Ga., is the attractive guest of her cousin, Miss Ruth Lynch, at her home on Third street.

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Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Miss Nan Fisher is spending the week with her brother, Mr. Louis Fisher, in Wilmington."

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Rev. F. N. Skinner, of Ridgway, S. C., is spending some time as a guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Cranmer, No. 207 South Fourth street.

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Mrs. J. B. Fox and children, Joseph and Louise, have returned from a short visit to Mr. Fox's relatives in Philadelphia.

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Rev. W. V. McRae, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, has returned from his vacation which he spent with his mother, Mrs. Duncan McRae, at her home at MacFarlan, N. C.

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Miss Helen Scull, of Laurinburg, was accompanied home yesterday by her mother, Mrs. John Scull, and friend, Mrs. T. L. Rivanbark, after successfully undergoing an operation at the James Walker Memorial Hospital.

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Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 26.—A cablegram received this morning by Mrs. James M. Lamb from her daughter, Miss Lizzie Lamb, dated at Barbados, stated that she would arrive on September 30 from Brazil, where for the last nine years she has been engaged in missionary work under the auspices of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

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Warsaw, N. C., Aug. 26. — Miss Annie Carroll was hostess at an informal rook party, given at her home Tuesday evening from 8:30 till 11. Pink roses were used for the decorations. There were three tables for progressive rook, which was played for more than an hour, the young men drawing for partners. A salad course was served and white roses given as souvenirs.

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The following announcement has been received by friends here:

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fales
announce the marriage of their
daughter, Lottie Pearl,
to
Mr. Bruce Barclay Cameron
on Tuesday, August 24, 1915,
Wilmington, N. C.
At home after September 15, 1011
South Fifth street, Wilmingotn, N. C.

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In honor of her friend, Miss Amelia Boyett, of Warsaw, Miss Idoma Hewlett entertained a number of friends at her home at Carolina Place Wednesday evening. Games and a social hour enjoyable and a dainty course of ices was served by Misses. Mary, Emma and Katherine Rothwell, of Fayetteville. Those present included: Misses Amelia Boyett, Edna McEachern, Annie Davis, May Orrell, Margaret and Alice Herring, Evelyne Loftin and Katherine and Elizabeth Davis, of Southport; Messrs. Irvin Davis, Ralph Sholar, Harry McGowan, Courtland, McEachern, Kenneth Partin, Ray and Willie Kelley and George Tienchen.

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WEDDING OF POPULAR COUPLE IN SOUTHPORT BAPTIST CHURCH.

Southport, N. C., Aug. 26.—A marriage took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Baptist church here that was of particular local interest because of the prominence of the contracting parties, these being Miss Vienna Mae O'Quinn,the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. O'Quinn, and Dr. Percy Ormand Leggett, the popular and well known druggist of this city.

The bride wore a blue going-away coat suit, with a single diamond ornament, the gift of the groom, and carried a bouquet of asters. She was attended by Miss Annie L. St. George in white lingerie, picture hat. The groom was attended by Dr. H. L. Keith. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. C. C. Wheeler, of the Baptist church.

Following the marriage ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Leggett, with a large party of friends, went to the steamer dock, where amid countless expressions of congratulations and well wishes they boarded the Wilmington for a bridal trip north.

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Mr. C. D. Baker, of Asheville, is a guest at the Oceanic.

Mr. L. C. Herr, of Clinton, registered yesterday at the Seashore Hotel.

Mr. F. M. Hardin, of Atlanta, is a guest at the Seashore Hotel.

Mr. G. W. Hutaff, of Wilmington, is spending some time at the Oceanic Hotel.

Messrs. John P. Conly, O. D. Holmes and L. B. Poisson, of Wilmington, went down yesterday to spend some time at the Hanover Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Black, of Charlotte, are spending some time at the Hanover Inn.

Messrs. W. H. Goss and E. H. Gordon, of Columbia, S. C., are spending some time at the beach, guests at the Seashore Hotel.

Miss Frances Latham, of Easley, S. C., who has been the guest of Miss Grace Temple, at their cottage, returned home Wednesday after a very pleasant visit.

Automobile and motorcycle races on the beach in October, when the tide is lowest, are receiving enthusiastic interest from owners of machines in Wilmington. The plans are well enough under way to practically assure the races and the date will be set later.

Several hundred children are expected to attend the children's souvenir dance at Lumina tonight. Children's night at Lumina always attracts a large number to the pavilion and the dance to be given this evening will probably be no exception in that respect.

A two-reel Selig drama, "The Fortunes of Mariana," will head the bill at the Lumina open air theatre tonight. Following this is a cartoon comedy entitled "Cannibal King," showing the ups and downs in a Chop Suey restaurant. It is not a long picture, being a single reel feature, but it is full of laughs from start to finish.

Little Miss Katherine Slocumb, of Fayetteville, who delighted a large audience with her dancing at Lumina a few nights ago, will give an interpretation of music in a beautiful aesthetic dance at this pavilion tonight. This will be a special feature of children night which is expected to be one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

Since the introduction of the modern sewerage system on Wrightsville Beach a marked change has taken place in the sentiment towards still water bathing. While Banks Channel has always been popular among the beach residents for boating and canoeing, it is now quite as popular, if not more so, for bathing purposes as the ocean side. It is also being recognized that those living on the sound side of the island have a much more interesting and desirable location than on the ocean.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Theodore G. Empie has gone to Rooks and Black River, N. C., where he will spend a few days fishing.

—Mr. Charles Ives, of Newbern, has returned home after a visit to his friend, Mr. Walter Hashagen, on Orange street.

—Mr. John Allen Thames, son of Dr. and Mrs. John Thames, has gone to Fayetteville, where he will spend some time before entering Davidson College.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Platt and son, R. C., Jr., left last night for New York, where Mr. Platt will purchase a stock of goods for a store which he will establish at No. 108 Market street.

—Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the city schools, who spent several days in the city, has returned to High Point to spend the remainder of the summer.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Report has been made to the police that the home of Mr. D. F. Tolar, near Sixth and Harnett streets, was entered one night this week, but nothing was reported as missing.

—The United States dredge Hercules and tugs Cynthia and Richard Caswell have returned to the port here from the Pamlico river, where they had been deepening the channel in that river from Washington to the mouth.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT.

Ford Turned Partly Over at Masonboro Crossing—Occupants Not Hurt.

Report was made to the transportation office of the Tidewater Power Company last night by Motorman W. B. Boykin and Conductor J. T. Moore, who were in charge of the suburban car leaving the junction at Front and Princess streets at 10 o'clock, that a Ford automobile, in which there were several persons, including four children, turned partly over at the Masonboro road crossing at Winter Park but fortunately no one was hurt.

Mr. Boykins saw the automobile ahead of him several hundred yards as it started across the track. Two of the wheels of the machine ran off the bridge but owing to the slow speed of the machine there was no serious damage. Mr. Baykin stopped the suburban car and he and Mr. Moore rendered such assistance as they could. They did not learn who was in the car but stated that no one was hurt.

MISS ANNIE LEA ROSE DEAD.

Good Woman of Fayetteville Passes to Her Reward.

Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 26.—Miss Annie Lea Rose, 68 years of age, died last night at 10 o'clock at the home of her brother, Hon. Geo. M. Rose, on Haymount, following an illness of several months. Miss Rose was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John M. Rose, of this city. She was a most excellent Christian woman, and hers was a life of service for her Maker and those around her. She had been a member of the Presbyterian church practically all her life, and was faithful in church and Sunday school work.

Miss Rose is survived by one sister, Miss Maggie R. Rose, of this city, and by four brothers—Hon. Geo. M. Rose, of Fayetteville; Rev. John M. Rose, D. D., of Laurinburg; Mr. Duncan Rose, of Sampson county, and Mr. T. M. Rose, of Hamlet, besides a large number of nephews and nieces and other relatives.

The funeral will be held in the First Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock, and the burial will be in Cross Creek cemetery. The nephews of deceased will act as pall-bearers.

PICTURE HAS ARRIVED

Two Reels of Wilmington "Movies" Now Ready to Be Shown on Screen.

The two reels of moving pictures of Wilmington scenes which were made by the National Film Corporation arrived last night and are now ready for exhibition. They will be passed upon by a board of censors consisting of representatives of the city and county, Chamber of Commerce, Rotary club and others. The pictures will be shown at the Bijou theatre Monday and Tuesday of next week and two reels will then be started on a circuit which will include 160 moving picture theatres throughout the State.

A preliminary examination of the reels shows that the pictures are in good shape and they will make a splendid showing for the city of Wilmington when they are thrown upon the screen.

BERLIN POLICE MAY CURTAIL CONSUMPTION OF INTOXICANTS

Proposed That Government Restrict the Sale of Liquors.

Berlin, via London, Aug. 26.—Police authorities are attempting to curtail the consumption of distilled liquors. It is proposed that the government in Berlin district forbid sale of these liquors after 7 P. M. on ordinary days and entirely on Sundays and holidays and the days preceding and following them, and to restrict all sales to brands costing a minimum of four marks ($1.00) per liter which is slightly over one quart.

It is understood the government is unwilling to introduce such a drastic measure, but that it favors some restrictions.

OPPORTUNITY FOR THE TWINE MANUFACTURERS

Post Office Department Wants Bids for Year's Supply.

For the Past Year Cotton Has Been Used and Has Proven Satisfactory, Replacing Jute Formerly Used.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., Aug. 26.—Postmaster General Burleson is anxious that manufacturers of cotton twine again avail themselves of the opportunity offered by his action in advertising for proposals to furnish either cotton or jute twine for use in tying together letters in packages during the year beginning November 1 next.

Nearly a billion and a half yards of twine will be consumed by the Postoffice Department during the twelve months' contract period. It is used in large quantity daily both in the postoffices and upon the railway postoffice cars. In pounds, approximately 2,400,000 pounds of jute twine, or approximately 1,600,000 pounds of cotton twine, the former being much the heavier per yard, will be needed.

Until last year, jute had the preference. Last summer, after the opportunity had been called to their attention by the Postmaster General, several large manufacturers of cotton twine took an interest and bid for the contract now in force.

Cotton won, and the Beaumont Manufacturing Company of Spartanburg, S. C., obtained the contract on terms involving a saving for the Postoffice Department over the lowest bid for jute of $83,000 for the year. The South Carolina company has fulfilled its contract to date and the cotton twine has proved in all respects satisfactory to the postal service. P. R. A.

AMERICAN STEAMER DETAINED.

The Sirius, With Cargo of Rosin, Held Up by British.

London, Aug. 24. — (Delayed by censor)—The American steamer Sirius, New York to Narvik, with rosin consigned to Petrograd, still is detained by the British authorities, who insist she must be taken directly to Archangel unless the owners secure a guarantee from Sweden that trans-shipment of the cargo will be permitted. The Norwegian steamer Artemis, Baltimore for Gothenburg, with a coal cargo, has been detained.

Santiago, Chile, Aug. 26.—Senor Bahamondes, a member of the chamber of deputies, died today as the result of wounds received in a duel with another deputy. The duel was the outgrowth of a trivial political dispute.

You'll regret it if you miss the wrestling match at Woolvin Hall tonight, 8:30 sharp.

(Advertisement)

Massachusetts State House Decorated for Governors' Conference, and Five Present

Some twenty governors of states met in the old State House in Boston for their annual conference. This photograph shows their host, Governor Walsh, of Massachusetts, and below governors of three important states, Dunne, of Illinois; Whitman, of New York, and Willis, of Ohio. Also Cole Blease, ex-governor of South Carolina.

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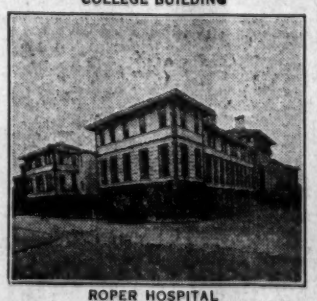
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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON PRICES WORKED UP

January Contracts Sold for More Than $2.00 a Bale Over Monday's Prices—Close Steady.

New York, Aug. 26.—There was a more general movement in cotton today than any time since the advance that followed the last government report and prices worked sharply higher with the close steady at a net gain of 19 to 21 points. January contracts sold at 9.94 or more than $2.00 per bale above the low level of last Monday and even with the highest point reached on August 8.

The opening was firm at an advance of 6 to 10 points on buying by brokers supposed to be operating for Eastern belt spot interests, covering and local bull support. Relief from the recent apprehensions of a break in diplomatic relations with Germany seemed to render traders more willing and buying also was encouraged by optimistic views with reference to financing new crop and reports of an improved export demand. Prospects for further showers also helped the advance. While the announcement that the next government condition report would be published on August 30 instead of August 31 owing to the holiday in Louisiana, tended to direct attention to the possibility of a bullish showing.

The close was 3 or 4 points off from the best under realizing.

Futures closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
October	9.33	9.51	9.32	9.48
December	9.43	9.80	9.43	9.76
January	9.78	9.94	9.77	9.91
March	10.00	10.15	9.99	10.12
May	10.23	10.36	10.25	10.34

Spot quiet; middling uplands 9.50; sales 430 bales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans — Middling, 8.94; receipts, 1,326; sales, 4,625; stock, 118,911.

Galveston — Middling, 9.25; receipts, 5; sales, 50; stock, 103,385.

Mobile—Middling, 8.69; receipts, 34; stock, 12,011.

Savannah—Middling, 8.50; receipts, 1,400; sales, 1,369; stock, 60,279.

Charleston—Middling, 8.75; receipts, 74; stock, 42,483.

Wilmington—Receipts, 4; stock, 33,119.

Norfolk — Receipts, 202; sales, 657; stock, 39,762.

Baltimore—Stock, 1,162.

Boston—Middling, 9.30; stock, 13,000.

Philadelphia—Middling, 9.75; stock, 2,089.

New York—Middling, 9.50; exports, 300; sales, 130; stock, 224,532.

Minor ports—Receipts, 1,639; exports, 1,639; stock, 26,860.

Total today—Receipts, 4,689; exports, 1,939; stock, 677,593.

Total for week—Receipts, 18,710; exports, 31,828.

Total for season—Receipts, 96,004; exports, 123,095.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 9.08; receipts, 2,631; shipments, 3,297; sales, 2,153; stock, 56,152.

Memphis — Middling, 9.00; receipts, 133; shipments, 123; sales, 950; stock, 64,957.

Augusta—Middling, 8.50; receipts, 472; shipments, 398; sales, 257; stock, 63,717.

St. Louis — Middling, 8¾; receipts, 229; shipments, 229; stock, 12,166.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 253; shipments, 27; stock, 14,893.

Little Rock — Middling, 8.63; shipments, 4; sales, 4; stock, 7,129.

Dallas—Middling, 8.55; sales, 589.

Total today—Receipts, 3,718; shipments, 4,078; stock, 218,564.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Heavy Buying Was Feature and Prices Made an Advance.

New Orleans, Aug. 26.—Heavy buying featured the cotton market today and put most active months almost a quarter of a cent a pound over yesterday's close. Buying was based on reports of crop deterioration and expectations of a bullish condition figure at the end of the month. The advance was well maintained up to the end of the session. At the highest trading months were 22 to 24 points up. The close was 19 to 20 up. Favorable cables stimulated buying on the opening and bullish sentiment was fostered by telegrams from Texas and Arkansas saying too much rain was falling. The market rose 11 to 12 points. Ring gossip said one line of 5,000 bales of short cotton was closed out around the middle of the morning.

Toward the close longs were profit-takers, but these offerings cost the advance less than five points.

Futures closed steady at an advance of 19 to 20 points. Close: October 9.25; December 9.51; January 9.65; March 9.87; May 10.09.

Spot steday seven points up. Sales on the spot 325, to arrive 2,300. Middling 8.94.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 26. — Cotton seed oil had an early advance of 9 to 10 points for leading months on new long buying, presumably for Southern account, but as soon as these buying orders were filled the list turned easy and final prices were one point lower to two higher, as cohpared with the previous close. Sales, 23,000 barrels. Prime crude, nominal; prime summer yellow, spot, and August, 5.57; September, 5.59; October, 5.58; November, 5.62; December, 5.70; January, 5.81; February, 5.88; March, 5.95.

Prime winter yellow and summer white, 5.80.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Aug. 26. — Cotton: Spot, steady; good middling, 5.80; middling, 5.50; low middling, 5.04. Sales, 8,000; for speculation and export, 2,000. Receipts, 1,000. Futures steady. August, 5.42; August-September, 5.42; September-October, 5.43; October-November, 5.49¾; November-December, 5.54; December-January, 5.58; January-February, 5.62; February-March, 5.66; March-April, 5.69½; April-May, 5.73; May-June, 5.76; June-July, 5.79; July-August, 5.82; August-September, 5.85.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS.

New York, Aug. 26. — Cotton goods were steadier today and yarns quiet. Silks were in steady demand. Men's wear and dress goods were firm.

Carpet wools were easier.

PRICE OF WHEAT ADVANCED

Possible Damage by Frost in the Northwest Caused Nervousness—Corn Strong—Oats Advance.

Chicago, Aug. 26. — Wheat was nervous today, the main influence being conflicting opinions as to the likelihood of frost damage in the northwest. The close was firm, at a net gain of ⅝ to ⅞, with September at 99⅞ and December at 64⅝. Oats finished ¼ @ ⅝ to ½c. higher; provisions, 10@12½ lower to 12½ higher.

Grain and provisions closing.

Wheat — September, 99⅞; December, 98⅛.

Corn — September, 74⅝; December, 64⅝.

Oats—September, 38; December, 37½.

Pork — September, 13.67; October, 13.80.

Lard—September, 8.05; October, 8.17.

Ribs—September, 8.50; October, 8.62.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.08@1.08⅝; No. 2, hard, 1.09@1.10½.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 81½@82.

MARINE.

Cleared.

Schr. Lizzie M. Parsons, 571 tons, Capt. Christensen, Owens' Ferry, Ga. (Cleared Aug. 25 by master, and not by Thos. F. Wood & Co., Inc., as reported.)

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,289 tons, Bellasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 26.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, 36½c.

ROSIN—$2.55 to $2.65.

TAR—Firm, $1.70 per barrel; 5c per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$1.50, $2.50, $2.50.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nominal. Rosin nominal. Tar, $2.00-9 cts. Crude turpentine, firm, $2.00, $3.00, $3.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	14
Rosin	53
Tar	174
Crude Turpentine	6

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 3 casks; rosin, 11 barrels; tar, 20 barrels; crude turpentine, 1 barrel.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal. Quotations same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—4 bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 5,127 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 313 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug 26.

Atlantic Coast Line—4 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 52 barrels tar.

Seaboard Air Line—86 barrels tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Atlantic City—2 casks spirits turpentine; 3 barrels rosin.

Str. Lathrop—10 casks spirits turpentine; 50 barrels rosin.

River—10 barrels tar.

Shamrock—26 barrels tar.

Total—4 bales cotton; 14 casks spirits turpentine; 53 barrels rosin; 174 barrels tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Aug. 26.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 80c.; No. 1, machine picked, 75c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Steady. Jumbos 75c.; fancy hand-picked, 60c.; No. 1, machine picked, 55c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Steady. No. 1, small, machine picked, 85c.; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

All receipts, light.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Aug. 26.—Spanish: Farmers' Stock — Market weak and unsettled. First quality, 80c. per bu. asked; 75c. bid; off grade, 30c. to 40c. per bu.

Virginias: Farmers' stock, market quiet. Fancy Jumbo, 3¼c. per lb.; fancy hand-picked, 3c. per lb.; extra prime, 2¾c. per lb.; shelling stock, 2c. to 2¼c. per lb.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 26.)

CORN—$2.20 per sack.

PEAS—Out of season.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop, 40c.

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, $1.00 per bushel.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@11c. per pound.

SHEEP—Dull at any price.

WOOL—Burry, 19 to 20c.; black wool, 17 to 20c; first class white wool, 27c.; free, 27c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c.; dry flint, 17c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 17@18c.; sides and shoulders, 14@15c. per lb. Good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 35 to 40c; spring, 15 to 30c per head; good demand. Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—20 to 21c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Aug. 26. — Hogs, higher. Bulk, 6.70@7.60; light, 7.30@7.95; mixed, 6.55@7.90; heavy, 6.35@6.55; pigs, 7.00@8.05.

Cattle—Steady. Native beeves, 6.00@7.15; cows and heifers, 3.10@8.75; calves, 8.50@12.00.

Sheep—Strong. Wethers, 5.90@6.60; ewes, 4.00@6.25; lambs, 7.25@9.50.

Children's Night

at Lumina this evening 8:15 to 9:15. (Advertisement.)

STOCKS MADE UPWARD MOVE

Possibility of Friendly Adjustment of Arabic Episode Basis of Move —Trading Quiet But Broader.

New York, Aug. 26.—Statements from official sources that the Arabic episode is likely to be adjusted without further international friction furnished the basis for another moderate upward movement today. Trading was relatively quiet, except in the opening and final trading, but what it lacked in activity was offset by greater breadth.

Metal stocks were in general demand, their strength being associated with the better market abroad.

Tennessee copper was the sensational feature of the group, rising by leaps and bounds just before the close to 65, a new high record and an overnight gain of 11 1-4. A week ago Tennessee closed at 47 5-8.

Shares of the various steel and iron companies, made additional responses to another advance in certain manufactured shapes, particularly plates and bars. Foreign buying again was a factor in this industry, more orders being received for British and French account. United States Steel was under pressure, however, despite opening gains of a point for both common and preferred at 76 and 112 3-8 respectively. The common reacted later to 75 1-8, and closed at 75 3-4 on sales of 150,000 shares.

War shares moved uncertainly, scoring early gains of 2 to 5 points but making little upward progress later. Railroads were again a negligible quantity their occasional advance of a point bein the signal for bear attacks. Realizing sales reduced many gains at the close. Total sales amounted to 725,000 shares.

The critical states of the foreign exchange situation again was exemplified in renewed weakness for remittances to London, Paris and Rome. Demand sterling fell to the new low rate of 4.63 3-4.

Recurrent selling of bonds for future delivery caused some irregularity in that list. Total sales par value aggregated $2,620,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

American Beet Sugar	64⅜
Anaconda	72⅛
American Can, pfd	61
American Cities, pfd	41
American Cotton Oil	51¼
American Smelting	81¼
American Sugar	110⅞
American Tel and Tel	123½
American Tobacco	227
Atchison	101⅞
Atlantic Coast Line	B.102
Baltmore and Ohio	82¼
Bethlehem Steel	285
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	84⅞
Canadian Pacific	151½
Central Leather	44
Chesapeake and Ohio	45⅝
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	83½
Chicago, R. I. and Pac	22½
Consolidated Gas	126½
Corn Products	17⅜
Erie	28¼
Genenal Motors	217
Great Northern, pfd	118
Illinois Centnal	B.102
Intenborough Met., pfd	75½
Kansas City Southern	26⅝
Louisville and rasnville	B.112
Liggett and Myers	B.215
Lorillard Co	B.168
Maxwell Motor Co	44
Missouri, Kan. and Tex	8¼
Missouri Pacific	4⅛
Mex. Petroleum	83½
National Lead	62⅝
New York Central	90½
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	63½
Norfolk and Western	107
Northern Palifi	107¾
Pennsylvania	108⅞
Reading	148½
Rep. Iron and Steel	44
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	B.101½
Seaboard Air Line	B. 14
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	B. 32
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	55
Studebaker Corporation	113
Southern Pacifi	89⅜
Southern Railway	16
Southern Railway, pfd	B. 48
Tennessee Copper	65
Texas Co	145
Texas and Pacifil	10⅝
Union Pacifil	130⅞
United States Rubber	52
United States Steel	75⅝
United States Steel, pfd	112¼
Utah Copper	67¼
Virginia-Caro. Chem	36
Western Union	70⅝
Westinghouse Elertric	115⅝
Allis-Chalmers	38½
Crucible Steel	75½

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Aug. 26. — Turpentine, firm, 37¼@37½; sales, 34; receipts, 434; shipments, 7; stock, 19,717.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,120; receipts, 1,734; shipments, 101; stock, 67,373. Quote: A, B, 2.85@2.90; C, D, 2.85@2.92½; E, 2.90@2.95; F, 2.95@3.00; G, 3.05@3.10; H, I, 3.10; K, 3.30; M, 4.05; N, 4.70; W G, 5.55; W W, 5.70.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, Aug. 26. — Raw sugar, quiet; centrifugal, 4.59@4.70; molasses, 3.81@3.93; refined, steady.

Butter—Barely steady.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 7c.; Santos, No. 4, 9¼c.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 26.—Mercantile paper, 3¼@3½. Sterling 60-day bills 4.5950; demand, 4.6400; cables, 4.6450. Bar silver, 46¾. Mexican dollars, 37. Government bonds, steady. Railroad bonds, irregular. Call money, steady; ruling rate, 1¾.

MOONLIGRT SCHOOL IDEA GIVEN BOOST IN WAYNE

Big Educational Rally in Goldsboro—Several Prominent Speakers.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 25. — The educational rally held in the auditorium at the new school building last night was in every measure a big success

Several noted speakers were present and delivered addresses and the audience gave each speaker their undivided attention.

A joint meeting of the school teachers of the county, who are here attending the Teachers' Institute, and the members of the Junior Order, was held and quite a large crowd of our citizens were also present. It was an educational rally, especially in the interest of "moonlight" schools that are being arranged for the purpose of eradicating adult illiteracy.

Prof. J. H. Highsmith, who is conducting the Institute, presided over the meeting, and made a very interesting and impressive talk. He stated in addition to other things that it was necessary to have money to successfully educate our people; that we often complained about the five million dollars annually that we were expending for this purpose, and as a matter of fact, this was only one half the cost of one of our battleships that might be destroyed in a few seconds by a submarine. He spoke of the lasting benefits to be derived from our money spent in the work of education.

Congressman Geo. E. Hood appropriately introduced the principal speaker of the occasion, Hon. Paul Jones, of Tarboro. Mr. Jones is the organizer of the "Moonlight" Schools under the auspices of the State Council, Jr. O. U. A. M.

Prof. J. W. Huffington, superintendent of the Goldsboro graded schools, made a delightful educational talk. He described in well chosen words the great advantages of education, from an economic and governmental standpoint.

MANY REPORTS OF ALLEGED GERMAN ACTIVITIES RECEIVED

War Department Has Received Letters From All Sections of Country.

Washington, Aug. 26—Secretary Garrison revealed today that for months the War Department had been receiving letters from all sections of the country reporting alleged German activities, such as the masking of big gun foundations in tennis courts and building foundations. No evidence had been discovered, the Secretary said, to substantiate any of the reports.

Assistant Secretary Roosevelt, of the Navy Department, wrote today to John B. Rathom, editor of the Providence, R. I., Journal, urging a reply to Secretary Daniels' letter last week asking the editor to submit any evidence he might have to support a published statement that a civil employe of the Navy Department was in the pay of the German government.

Fritz Hansen vs. Jack Collins tonight at Woolvin Hall.

(Advertisement.)

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

August 27, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 78 degrees; at 8 P. M., 80 degrees; maximum, 87 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 5.41 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 4.9 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Showers Friday, except fair near the coast; Saturday, showers.

The Port Calendar, Aug. 27, 1915.

Sun rises	5:42 A. M.
Sun sets	6:45 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 3 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	11:24	11:46	6:28	6:56
Southport	9:30	9:46	3:25	3:45
Masonboro Inl	9:19	9:35	3:05	3:25

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

August 26, 1915.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 3 p.m.
Abilene	pt cldy	94	70	.0
Asheville	cldy	80	56	.0
Atlanta	cldy	86	66	.0
Augusta	cldy	92	72	.0
Birmingh	cldy	86	68	.14
Boston	clear	76	60	.0
Charleston	cldy	88	78	.0
Charlotte	clear	84	66	.0
Chicago	pt cldy	60	58	.0
Galveston	clear	86	80	.0
Jacksonv.	cldy	94	76	.0
Memphis	cldy	78	72	2.36
Mobile	clear	90	76	.0
Montgom'y	cldy	94	70	.0
New Orl	clear	92	74	.0
New York	cldy	76	60	.0
Oklahoma	clear	86	70	.01
Palestine	pt cldy	86	74	.0
Pittsburgh	cldy	70	58	.0
Raleigh	cldy	86	64	.0
Savannah	pt cldy	92	76	.08
Shreveport	cldy	86	74	.20
St. Louis	cldy	68	60	.0
Washing'n	clear	78	60	.0

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They tell a story of a man in a great city who forgot his own name. He put an ad. in the paper. Within a few hours he was quizzed by so many curious people that he put an ad. in a later edition stating that he wanted to *stay lost*.

Our classified ads. do *everything* — find the lost, buy and sell, bargain and exchange, employ and secure employment.

Use them.

$1.25
WILMINGTON TO NEWBERN AND RETURN.
—LABOR DAY—
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH.

Last Excursion of Season. Don't forget the date. Train leaves 7:30 A. M., and leaves Newbern returning 8:00 P. M.

Via Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.

W. J. CRAIG, Pass Traf. Mgr. T. C. WHITE, Gen. Pass. Agt.

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"The Standard Railroad of the South"

Bulletin of Special Round Trip Fares.

—from—

WILMINGTON

On sale every day until Sept. 15th, limited returning October 31st.

WASHINGTON, D. C.	$16.00
a BALTIMORE, MD	$18.00
PHILADELPHIA, PA	$22.50
NEW YORK	$27.00
b BOSTON, MASS	$31.00
ASHEVILLE, N. C.	$15.15
BREVARD, N. C.	$15.15
HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.	$14.70
LAKE TOXAWAY, N. C.	$15.75
SALUDA, N. C.	$14.15

a—Via Norfolk and steamer, $17.50.

b—Via Norfolk and steamship only.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL	$90.20

On sale until November 30th, limited 4 months, not to exceed Dec. 31st, 1915.

CHICAGO, ILL	$32.10

On sale September 5, 6, 7, limited returning September 19th.

ATLANTA, GA.	$18.35

On sale Sept. 12 and 13th, limited returning Sept. 20th.

For schedules, reservations and any further informaton, call 'phone 160, or apply to C. M. AUKER, Ticket Agent of the

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The Progressive Railway of the South

Bulletin of Special Round Trip Rates, in Effect From Wilmington.

JOHNSON CITY, TENN.	$16.25
KNOXVILLE, TENN	$10.30
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.	$8.65
STATESVILLE, N. C.	$10.85
CHIMNEY ROCK, N. C.	$14.00
SWANNANOA, N. C.	$15.05
LENOIR, N. C.	$11.85
ASHEVILLE, N. C.	$15.15
BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C.	$14.85
EDGEMONT, N. C.	$12.5[illegible]

On sale May 15th to September 15th; limited returning midnight, Oct. 31st.

CHICAGO, ILL	$32.10

On sale September 5, 6 and 7th; limited returning midnight September 19th.

ATLANTA, GA	$18.35

On sale Sept. 12 and 13th, limited returning Midnight, Sept. 20th.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.	$90.20

On sale until November 30th, limited 3 months, not to exceed Dec. 31st, 1915.

For tickets Pullman reservations, or any information, call 'phone 178, or apply to Agent.

H. E PLEASANTS, T. P. A., Wilmington, N. C.
JOHN T. WEST, D. P. A., Raleigh, N. C.

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THROUGH SLEEPING CARS TO AND FROM ASHEVILLE.

The Atlantic Coast Line, in connection with the Southern Railway, has inaugurated through Pullman sleeping car service from Florence to Asheville, Westbound, and from Asheville to Wilmington, Eastbound, tri-weekly, by the route and on the days and schedules shown below:

WESTBOUND:

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Lv. FLORENCE, S. C.	8:10 P. M.
Lv. Sumter, S. C.	9:30 P. M.
Ar. Columbia, S. C.	10:50 P. M.
Lv. Columbia, S. C.	11:40 P. M.
Ar. ASHEVILLE, N. C.	7:40 A. M.

EASTBOUND:

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Lv. ASHEVILLE, N. C.	7:00 A. M.
Ar. Columbia, S. C.	2:30 P. M.
Lv. Columbia, S. C.	4:10 P. M.
Ar. Sumter, S. C.	5:50 P. M.
Ar. Florence, S. C.	7:20 P. M.
Lv. Florence, S. C.	8:40 P. M.
Ar. WILMINGTON, N. C.	12:25 Night

Passengers may remain in the sleepers at Wilmington until 7:00 A. M., if they so desire.

A through connection may be formed with the Asheville sleeper by using the following schedules:

Lv. Wilmington	3:45 P. M.
Ar. Florence	7:30 P. M.

These cars are run one way in the day time to give passengers an opportunity to view the beauties of the North Carolina mountain scenery.

For detailed schedules and summer excursion fares to Asheville and all Western North Carolina resorts,

'PHONE 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Pass. Traf. Mgr. T. C. WHITE, Gen. Pass. Agt. Wilmington, N. C.

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Have you *lost* anything?

Don't sit down and mourn with a "I'll never get it back" expression on your face.

Cheer up! Put out a *dragnet* for it.

That means use a *lost* and *found ad.* in this paper.

Most people are honest, and few want rewards, so the cost to you is *trifling*.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective August 1, 1915. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91. 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 51. 5:25 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia, and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M. and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M. Pullman sleeper leaves Asheville 7:00 A. M., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving Wilmington 4:55 Midnight, using the place of the Columbia sleeper on those days.	No. 50. 12:25 A.M. Daily.
No. 64. 5:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs and Sat. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. 6:15 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.	No. 49. 6:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 53. 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52. 5:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 62. 3:25 P.M. Daily ex. Sun.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63. 12:50 P.M. Daily ex. Sun.
No. 55. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Pullman Cars between Florence and Columbia. On Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays the Columbia sleeper, westbound, runs from Florence to Asheville.	No. 54. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 57 6:20 P.M. Sun.only.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate points.	No. 58 9:15 A.M. Sun. only.
No. 59. 6:30 P.M. Sun., Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 A.M. Sun., Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 6:45 P. M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. 9:50 A.M. Daily.
No. 68 7:30 P.M. Sun.only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate points.	No. 69 10:15 A.M. Sun. only.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160-J.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent. WILMINGTON, N. C.

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THROUGH SLEEPING CAR DAILY VIA
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Premier Carrier of the South
QUEEN AND CRESCENT ROUTE AND BIG FOUR ROUTE

Southern Railway is now operating through sleeping cars daily on the Carolina Special between Charleston, S. C., and Chicago, Ill., affording excellent connections from and for Eastern North Carolina Points, Goldsboro, Raleigh, Durham, Greensboro and intermediate points, through ASHEVILLE AND THE LAND OF THE SKY.

For Pullman sleeping car reservations, schedules and detailed information, ask any Southern Railway Agent, or write.

O. F. YORK, Traveling Passenger Agent. Raleigh, N. C.

CLYDE LINE
TO NEW YORK
AND
GEORGETOWN, S. C.

New York to Wilmington.

Steamship Navahoe, Friday, Aug. 20th
Steamship Cherokee, Friday, Aug. 27th

Wilmington to Georgetown.

Steamship Navahoe, Monday, Aug. 23rd
Steamship Cherokee, Monday, Aug. 30th

Wilmington to New York.

Steamship Cherokee, Saturday, Aug. 21st
Steamship Navahoe, Saturday, Aug. 28th

Steamship Navahoe does NOT carry passengers.

Through bills of lading and lowest through rates guaranteed to and from all points in North and South Carolina.

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SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South.

Effective June 9th, 1915.

No. 13—4:05 P. M. THROUGH STEEL SLEEPER BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND ATLANTA—ALSO THROUGH STEEL SLEEPER EVERY WEDNESDAY, WILMINGTON TO BIRMINGHAM—THROUGH PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN WILMINGMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE.

Train for Lumberton, Maxton, Laurinburg, Charlotte and intermediate points, connecting at Hamlet for all points North, South and West.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—THROUGH SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE—Open at 10:00 P. M. for Passengers. Train for Charlotte and intermediate points, connecting at Hamlet for all points North and West.

For detailed information and reservations, call on City Ticket Agent, Orton Bldg, Wilmington; 'Phone 178.

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HENRY WILLIAMS, JR. General Freight Agent, Baltimore, Md.

Suburban Schedule

In Effect Saturday, June 5, 1915.

WEEK-DAYS

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
6:20 A. M.	6:05 A.M.
6:56 A. M.	7:10 A.M.
7:20 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
5:30 P. M.	5:45 P.M.
6:10 P. M.	6:20 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	6:50 P. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 P.M. and every hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Express trains stop at Winter Park Gardens, Sea Gate, Wrightsville, and all stations on the Beach.

Lumina Specials stop only at 5th, 7th and 9th streets in Wilmington, and at Lumina.

FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
6:00 A. M.	7:05 A.M.
2:00 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M. and from 3:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

Freight Depot Telephone, No. 96.

SUNDAYS

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
7:00 A.M.	6:40 A.M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Express trains stop at Winter Park Gardens, Sea Gate, Wrightsville and all stations on the Beach.

Lumina Specials stop only at 5th, 7th and 9th streets, in Wilmington and at Lumina.

FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight Depot Open: 10 to 11 A. M.
Freight Depot Telephone, No. 96.

Telephone 667 for information about train movements and matters connected with Railway department.

THROUGH SLEEPING CARS TO ATLANTA.

The Atlantic Coast Line operate the through sleeping cars between Wilmington and Atlanta. These cars are of all-steel construction and leave Wilmington daily at 3:45 P. M., arriving Atlanta at 6:10 the next morning, connection with through sleeping, observation and dining car trains for Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Kansas City and New Orleans. Passengers desiring to do so may remain in the sleepers, in the Union Depot, at Atlanta, until 7:00 A. M.

For reservations and all details, call 'PHONE 160.

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WAREHOUSE WILL HOLD 200,000 BALES COTTON

To be Built by Asa G. Candler at Cost of $1,000,000.

Will Lend Up to 7 Cents a Pound at 6 Per Cent Interest—Other Industrial Developments in the South Reported.

Baltimore, Aug. 26.—The most far-reaching industrial and financial movement of the week in the South has been the organization by Asa G. Candler and his associates of a company to build immediately a warehouse with capacity of 200,000 bales of cotton, the entire investment to be about $1,000,000. Also the announcement is made by Mr. Candler that he and his associates will lend up to 7 cents a pound on cotton at 6 per cent. Last year, at the time of the most serious depression in cotton, Mr. Candler put up temporary sheds for warehouses and offered to lend $30 a bale up to 1,000,000 bales, thus steadying the whole market and creating confidence throughout the South in the cotton situation. His present move will result in the immediate construction in place of temporary warehouses of a $500,000 reinforced concrete fireproof warehouse, and an advance over the loan value put on cotton last year. This movement will doubtless have a marked effect in stimulating other financial interests throughout the South to co-operate in financing and marketing of the cotton crop.

Contracts have been let for the construction of $1,000,000 denatured alcohol plant at Baltimore to have a floor space of over 10 acres.

The Seaboard Air Line Railway will erect at Portsmouth, Va., new shops, to cost, with equipment, $500,000.

The La Belle Iron Works of Ohio, contemplates building in Norfolk, Va., a by-product coke plant and a bridge across the Ohio River at an aggregate cost of $2,500,000.

Pinellas county, Fla., voted $715,000 of bonds for good roads and immediately closed contract for building of 60 miles of brick roads and eight miles of other roads at a cost of over $600,000. This is indicative of the general spirit of activity in road building seen throughout the South.

The Southern Elevator Co., at Louisville, proposes to build a concrete and steel elevator with capacity of 350,000 bushels.

The official announcement is made that the big coal pier built at Charleston by the Southern Railway will open for commercial business on September 1, thus putting Charleston in line for heavy coastwise and foreign coal handling.

The Standard Guano Co., at Baltimore, will enlarge its factory at a cost of $100,000.

The Morganton Light & Power Co., of Morganton, N. C., has awarded contract at $110,000 for dam to develop hydro-electric power.

The Hudson Oil Refining Co., at Athens, Ga., incorporated with $100,000 capital stock to make refined cotton-seed oil.

City Point Ice Corporation will construct at the new town of Hopewell, Va., which has been created by building of immense powder plant of the DuPonts, an ice factory and cold storage warehouse.

The Louisville Automobile Speedway Co., Louisville, Ky., will be organized with $250,000 capital stock to build a speedway of creosoted oak.

The Ocilla Oil & Fertilizer Co., Ocilla, Ga., has increased its capital stock by $400,000 to enlarge its plant.

In the iron and steel making circles of the South there is increased activity, with advancing prices, while in the oil regions prices have again advanced and activity in boring for and shipping oil is increasing. Many contracts are pending in various parts of the South for war orders, some of them running far into the millions.

SAYS MINISTER SHOULD BE GIVEN MORE THAN LIVING.

Frederick A. Delano Says Unitarian Preachers Inadequately Paid.

San Francisco, Aug. 26.—Frederick A. Delano, vice governor of the Federal Reserve Board, in a report here today set forth what constitutes an adequate salary for a minister, and declared that Unitarian ministers do not get it. He spoke before the general conference of Unitarian and other Christian churches as chairman of the committee on ministers' salaries.

An adequate salary for a minister in any given town or city, the report said, is the amount which would enable him, his wife and two dependents to live, with reasonable economy in sufficient comfort to maintain the health of the family, to take sufficient recreation to keep up his professional standards through the purchase of books and magazines and by attending conferences, and to make due provision for illness and old age.

"A minister needs more than a bare living if his effectiveness is not to be handicapped."

His figures were: Salaries from $1,000 and parsonage in towns of less than 5,000 population, to $4,000 and parsonage in cities of more than 250,000 population. He figured these as the least reasonable figures with reasonably satisfactory salaries, "25 per cent higher." The minimum, however, is more than many Unitarian churches now pay, the report said.

SURPRISE SPRUNG IN ELECTION FRAUDS CASE AT INDIANAPOLIS

James H. Gibson, a Defendant, Changes His Plea to Guilty.

Indianapolis, Aug. 26.—Developments today in the election conspiracy case, in which Thomas Taggart, Mayor Joseph E. Bell and more than 100 others are defendants, created much surprise and speculation.

James H. Gibson, one of the defendants, changed his plea to guilty and was remanded to jail under $5,000 bond by Special Judge W. H. Eichhorn, of Bluffton, chosen some time ago to hear the case.

Alvah J. Rucker, prosecuting attorney for Marion county, announced the state would move to dismiss the indictment against Gibson which charged him with fraud in the primary election of May 5, 1914.

Judge Eichhorn, although the state expressed a willingness to leave the case of Mayor Bell to him without a jury, ordered a special venire of 200 drawn for selection of a jury for the trial which is to begin September 7th.

BREST-LITOVSK IS CAPTURED BY THE TEUTONIC FORCES

(Continued From Page One.)

in the immediate neighborhood of the coast in occupation of the enemy and the position of the sunken submarine has been located by a German destroyer."

SUBMARINE SHED DESTROYED.

Large Number Germans Killed by British at Zeebrugge.

Amsterdam, via London, Aug. 26.—The Tijd says a large number of German soldiers were killed in the recent bombardment of Zeebrugge, Belgium, by a British fleet. Ninety-seven wounded, it says, were brought to Ghent.

The material damage done, it adds, was apparently very great, as a shed built for submarines was completely destroyed and with it some submarines.

SUNK 23 BRITISH VESSELS.

Last Week One of Most Successful for German Submarines.

London, Aug. 26.—During the week ending August 25, nineteen British merchant vessels with a total tonnage of 76,000, and three fishing vessels were destroyed by submarines or mines. The week was one of the most successful for the German under-water craft since the war began.

GALLIPOLI FIGHTING SEVERE.

Nearly 800 Casualties Among British Officers in Eight Days.

London, Aug. 26.—The severity of the recent fighting on the Gallipoli peninsula is shown by the fact that in the past eight days there have been nearly 800 casualties among the officers of the British forces, the Australians and New Zealanders bearing the brunt of the losses.

The casualty list issued yesterday contained the names of 122 officers and 1,350 men.

GERMAN SUBMARINE COMMANDERS WERE ORDERED NOT TO ATTACK UNLESS WARNED

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incident may be considered as eliminated as a source of discord between Germany and America; or, at least, is regarded by the German government in that light.

Germany, in its desire to continue friendly relations with the United States had adopted before the sinking of the Arabic a policy designed to settle completely the whole submarine problem as affecting America on the basis of good will and mutual understanding.

This is shown clearly by the statement of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg last night to the Associated Press, particularly by his concluding remarks to the effect that not until all the circumstances in connection with the sinking of the Arabic had been cleared up would it be possible to say "whether a commander of one of the German submarines went beyond his instructions," in which case Germany would give complete satisfaction to the United States.

Furthermore, during the conversation the Chancellor twice again referred to instructions given submarine commanders. He did not specify in detail the nature of these instructions, but it may be said to be designed to prevent a repetition of the Lusitania disaster and provide opportunity for escape of American non-combatants upon torpedoed ships which the United States desires.

Having given these instructions Germany asks a suspension of judgment on the Arabic case until the facts are known, as it may be shown that the sinking of the vessel was not an unprovoked attack without warning by a German submarine, but attributable either to mine explosion or some action of the vessel itself. Should it develop, however, that a submarine commander acted contrary to instructions, ample reparation would be offered.

Germany is still unable to understand why Americans in these troubled times travel on belligerent ships instead of on American or other neutral steamers, but since they, in some instances, insist on taking passage on ships belonging to a belligerent, Germany will do its utmost to provide for their safety.

CARRANZA'S REPLY MAY BE DELAYED FOR ANOTHER WEEK

He Inquires Whether Appeal Was Signed Officially or Privately.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Consul Silliman at Vera Cruz cabled the State Department today a communication from Jesus Acuna, General Carranza's foreign minister, asking whether Secretary Lansing and the Latin-American diplomats acted in their official or private capacity in addressing the recent appeal to Mexican leaders for a peace conference.

This was the first word from the Carranza government concerning the Pan-American appeal and it was accepted as an indication that the formal reply probably would ot be forthcoming for another week.

I was intimated in official circles that the only response to Acuna's question would be a message calling attention to the fact that all the other conferees attached their full titles to their signatures. This, it was pointed out, left no room for doubt that they acted officially and with the authority of their respective governments.

Officials were rather at a loss to explain the object of the Carranza minister's queery. In some quarters, however, it was suggested that Carranza probably desired to delay his final response, which is expected to be an appeal for recognition, pending establishment of his government in Mexico City and the outcome of Obregon's campaign against Villa forces in the North.

SIX MORE ARE INDICTED FOR NIGHT RIDING IN KENTUCKY

Seventy Persons Are Now Facing Trial in Ohio County.

Hartford, Ky., Aug. 26.—Six persons today were added to the sixty-four previously indicted in Ohio county on night riding charges. The grand jury sat in one division of the circuit court. In another trials of those against whom true bills already had been returned were under way. Two pleaded guilty yesterday and were sentenced to terms, one was brought to trial today and 61 are awaiting a hearing.

The new defendants are Ephraim Reisinger, Robert Dority, Alva Peach, John Tom Edwards, Abraham Carter and John Southard. Testimony against them was brought out in the trial of Bird Lee, a music teacher, charged with being a member of the band which flogged Reuben Howard, a merchant, and his wife at Horton, June 12.

BRITISH SHIP HELD BECAUSE OF RIFLE

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bunker coal, is expected to sail to-morrow for Buenos Aires, to take on refrigerated beef for Marseilles.

The Waimana was boarded by Collector of Customs Hamilton, who held a conference with the captain, but declined to make any statement relative to what action he would take. He made a report of the matter to the Treasury Department, and is awaiting instructions before taking any action. No application for clearance papers has been made by Captain Holmes.

It is believed that the vessel will be granted clearance papers, and will be given as much time as her captain requests to take on coal.

SAYS RESPONSE OF BRITISH FARMERS HAS BEEN UNEQUAL

Earl of Selborne Speaks to Deputation of Agricultural Land Owners.

London, Aug. 26. — Something in the nature of conscription, though the term was not employed, was foreshadowed by the Earl of Selborne, president of the board of agriculture, in an address here today to a deputation of agricultural land owners.

Many more men have gone to join the army, whether voluntarily or compulsorily, said the earl.

"The agricultural laborer has done his part nobly in this war, but the response has been very unequal over the country, and I forecast that during the next year men will be taken from districts and farms from which hitherto they have not gone.

"What I shall aim at—and Earl Kitchener has been very sympathetic—is to leave the farmer his foreman, stockman, carters and shepherds, but the rest of the work will have to be done by women or men not hitherto engaged in agriculture."

The speaker stated that the navy had the submarine menace well in hand.

PLAN TO REORGANIZE COMPANY.

Committee Proposes to Continue the M. Rumely Company.

New York, Aug. 26. — A plan to reorganize the M. Rumely Company, manufacturers of agricultural implements, now under receivership, was announced today by a committee of bankers representing creditors and security holders.

It is proposed to form a new company and provide funds necessary for its continuance by issuance of new securities in $3,500,000 ten-year 6 per cent. sinking fund debentures; $12,500,000 6 per cent. preferred cumulative stock, transferable after January 1, 1919, and $13,750,000 common stock.

The reorganizers plan to pay creditors' claims, amounting to about $14,500,000 with securities of the new company.

GENERAL OROZCO, DISGUISED, VISITED FAMILY AT EL PASO

Escapes by Few Minutes Time Department of Justice Officials.

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 26. — General Pasqual Orozco, wanted by the Department of Justice for defaulting his bond, when held with General Huerta, on charges of conspiracy to violate American neutrality, spent the forenoon with his family at his residence here, and disappeared fifteen minutes before Department of Justice representatives appeared to arrest him.

When previously heard of, Orozco was reported many miles south of the border. According to authentic reports, he drove to his home today in a motor 'bus, disguised with a grey beard and a wig.

DEBATE IN REICHSTAG

One Member Made Minor Complaints Against Government.

Berlin, Aug. 26, (via London).—The Reichstag today indulged in a military debate for the first time during the war. Only one member, Daniel Stuecklin, criticised the government, and he made only minor complaints.

On the other hand Herr Stuecklen paid a tribute to the strategic genius of the leaders and the bravery of the troops. He suggested that furioughs with free transportation be granted oftener to the soldiers, and that the ration allowances for convalescent soldiers be increased. The speaker said that the barrack language occasionally used by non-commissioned instructors was humiliating to the older men who had been called to the colors.

DAMAGED STEAMER ANCHORED

Greek Vessel at Norfolk Was Caught in Tropical Hurricane.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 26.—With two of her life boats and seven ventilators carried away, stanchions twisted, plates in the deck houses and officers' quarters smashed and glass in a number of port holes broken, bearing mute evidence of the severe pounding received when she was caught in the hurricane which swept the Gulf of Mexico last week ,the Greek steamer Tilemachos, Captain George T. Dracoulis, is anchored off Sewall's Point making repairs before proceeding to Piraeus.

The Tilmachos is bound from Galveston to Piraeus, Greece, with a cargo of wheat, calling at Norfolk for bunker coal. She left Galveston Saturday, August 14.

SPEAKS ON AFRICA

Rev. C. C. Buch Makes Principal Address at Lake Junaluska.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 26.—Rev. C. C. Buch, a returned missionary from the Congo, Africa, was the principal speaker at the Epworth League conference of the Southern Methodist church at Lake Junaluska today. He told of conditions on the African continent. T. C. Chao, former professor in Soo Chow University, China, also spoke, delivering another address on conditions in China. T. M. Hunter, of Fayetteville, is conducting a class in athletics for the benefit of the younger delegates to the conference.

BIBLE CONFERENCE CLOSES.

Dr. Ogden Delivers Final Address at Meeting at Montreat.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 26. — The 1915 Bible Conference at Montreat, which has been in session practically all summer, came to a close today with an address by Dr. Dunbar H. Ogden, of Atlanta, who spoke on the subject: "Why I Am a Presbyterian." Dr. Mauze, of St. Louis, was heard earlier in the day, and Dr. T. W. Lingle, of Davidson, offered the closing prayer. Standing votes of thanks were accorded the three speakers for their work during the conference, which the delegates declare has been one of the best in the history of the Montreat Assembly grounds.

ROOSEVELT BARRED FROM SPEAKING AT U. S. TRAINING CAMPS

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garding supporting the President in referred to Mr. Roosevelt's views as a "novel and treasonable doctrine."

FURTHER ARRESTS MADE FOR MURDER IN GRAHAM COUNTY

Hardy Wiggins Alleged to Have Confessed Complicity in Crime.

Asheville, Aug 26.—Albert Tolbert and two other men, whose names could not be learned, were arrested late last night by a sheriff's posse at Topton, N. C., and placed in the county jail at Robbinsville, seventy miles from here, charged with being accomplices in the murder of P. L. Phillips, a wealthy farmer who lived near Topton. The police said that Hardy Wiggins, who with Merritt Miller was arrested last night, has confessed that he was an accessory after the fact of the killing of Phillips.

The sheriff of Graham county with a posse left Robbinsville early today going in the direction of Topton to search for Ed Williams, who is charged with the killing of Phillips' wife and two chidren last May. Williams is said to have been seen in the neighborhood of Topton during the last few days.

No fears of lynching are entertained but a heavy guard has been placed about the jail at Robbinsville, officials saying they are prepared for any attempt of friends of the five men now held to liberate them from jail. It was reported this morning the five men might be brought to Asheville for safe keeping.

DELEGATES NOT YET NAMED ON THE EXCHANGE QUESTION

Probably Will be Appointed by French Minister at Early Date.

Paris, Aug. 26.—The ministry of finance has not yet appointed the delegates who are to join British representatives in New York early in September to consider a means for obtaining for the two governments credit balances in the United States to stabilize the exchange rate. They probably will be named soon.

Minister of Finance Ribot and M. Pallain, governor of the Bank of France, conferred on this subject at Boulogne with Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the British exchequer. M. Ribot informed the cabinet yesterday the French and British governments are in complete accord in the matter. If considerable gold shipments prove necessary the Russian government probably will be consulted.

London, Aug. 26. — Today's session of the Greek parliament was devoted to election of a vice-president and clerks, according to a 'Reuter's dispatch. There were no interpellations. Parliament adjourned until August 30.

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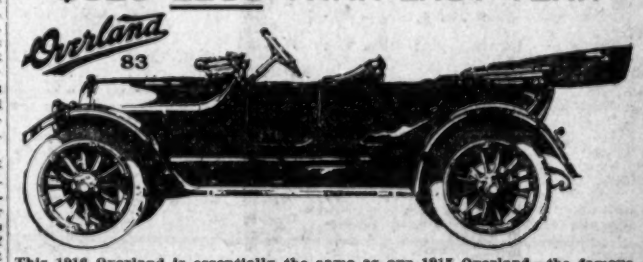

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